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Shameen Shaken But No Damage Done

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Canton, June 22.

This city was subjected early to-day to a severe bombing attack. Nine planes, flying in three relays, appeared at 6 a.m. and until 7 a.m. systematically bombed the Wongsha Station area and other points.

An immense fire was started in the central district, from which a huge volume of smoke and flame poured although fire-fighting apparatus was on the scene quickly.

The Shameen was shaken by the concussion of the bombs, but no damage was done.

The first flight of bombers apparently aimed at the White Cloud Aerodrome and near-by spur railway. Damage is unknown.

It is feared that casualties may be considerable as many persons had been filtering back into the central and frequently bombed areas during the cessation of bombing attacks in the past ten days. The populace was shocked by to-day's raid, which was apparently unexpected.

Anti-aircraft fire was particularly heavy and a cloud of shell-bursts surrounded the raiders which kept to a high altitude.—*United Press.*

JAPANESE DENY ALL NARCOTIC CHARGES

Stormy Sessions At Geneva

Geneva, June 21.

Each instance of illicit opium traffic given in the statement by the U.S. representative at the League of Nations' Advisory Committee's meeting on June 13 was contested by the Japanese representative at to-day's meeting.

Mr. Amau said that the North China Provisional Government had been authorised to import 428 chests of opium, which was in conformity with the authorities' permit.

Japan strongly protested against the charge that she was responsible for alleged illicit opium transactions.

The Chinese delegate, Dr. Hoo, expressed surprise at the quantities of opium North China was importing, pointing out that when North China was under the control of the Central Government such quantities were not imported.

Mr. Amau replied that as China did not exercise power over certain regions, the *de facto* authority might import the opium.

Dr. Hoo retorted that China controlled more of its provinces than Japan and its armies.

The President intervened and closed the discussion.—*Reuter.*

SPANISH SILVER FOR MUNITIONS

Perpignan, June 21.

One hundred and eighty tons of Spanish Government silver has arrived from Valencia, bound for the United States.

The metal will be used to purchase war materials for the Loyalists.—*United Press.*

JAPANESE ATTACK CLOSE TO SWATOW

Namoa Island Under Bombardment As Marines Land

Swatow, June 22.

The Japanese are reported to be invading Namoa, an island to the east of Swatow.

Under a terrific protective barrage laid by more than 10 warships, a contingent of several hundred Japanese marines forced a landing yesterday afternoon.

Chinese defenders put up a stiff resistance and fighting was continuing late last night.

Throughout yesterday the Japanese vessels shelled the island, whilst Japanese aircraft rained high explosives in relays.—*Central News.*

Sailing Permit Granted Japan By Russians

Tokyo, June 21.

Japanese reports state that the Soviet Government has now agreed to issue a sailing permit to the Japanese fisheries depot ship, Koryu Maru.

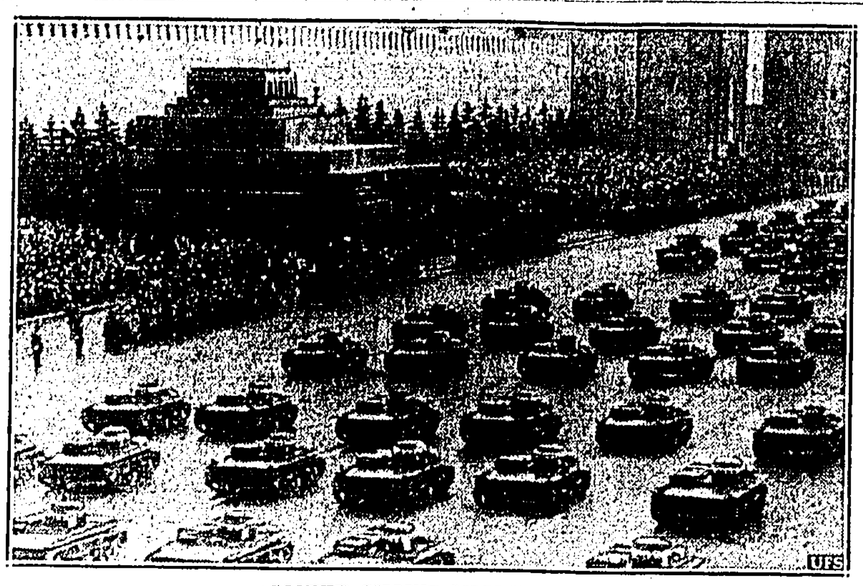
Previous refusal of the Soviet authorities to visa the permit precipitated a tense situation with the Japanese Government, which contended that the U.S.S.R. was bound by Treaty to extend facilities for the operation of Japanese fishing fleets in northern waters.

It was reported Japan would send her ships into the fishing area under escort of warships.—*United Press.*

RECITAL POSTPONED

Owing to the temporary break down of the Hammond Organ the Trio Recital which was to have been given by Miss Prue Lewis, Signor Ettore Pellegatti and Mr. Lindsay A. Lafford in St. Mary's Church, Causeway Bay this evening, has been postponed until Wednesday next, June 29 at 9.15 p.m.

Floods Aid Chinese in Counter-Attack



SOVIET SHOWS MIGHT—Vast military show indicating might of the Soviet was staged in Moscow on May Day, when tanks, guns and other mechanised war equipment thundered through Red Square with 1,000,000 workers from factories and offices. Here is a view of the light tanks. Stalin and other leaders watched the parade for hours from Lenin's tomb, at left.

Millions To Revive U.S. Prosperity

Washington, June 21.

President Roosevelt has signed the U.S. $3,750,000,000 Pump-Priming Bill.

He announced that work would begin within two months on a $35,000,000 works' programme.—*Reuter.*

BRITAIN CANNOT PREVENT BOMBING

Chamberlain Admits Impotency In Spanish Areas

London, June 21.

Referring in the House of Commons to-day to the bombing of British ships in Spanish waters, the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, said that the British Government had come to the conclusion that temporary intervention was impossible.—*United Press.*

DELIBERATE ATTACKS

London, June 22.

In the view of the British Government far too many instances have occurred in the Far East and Spain where general air bombing rules have been plainly disregarded and there have been deliberate attacks on civilians, declared the Prime Minister in the Foreign Affairs Debate in the House of Commons last night.

The Government has come to the conclusion that it would be impossible to protect British ships in Spanish territorial waters without intervening in the Spanish civil war and cutting across the whole policy which the Government has been following. At the same time, the Government did not admit the right of General Francisco Franco or anybody else to attack British ships. The difficulty was to find a practical means of preventing it.

REJECTS REPRISAL PLAN

Mr. Chamberlain rejected suggestions made in the debate that Sir Robert Hodgson should be withdrawn from his post in Spain, that trade with Insurgent Spain should be cut off and that Insurgent balances should be impounded. He added that while the war continued, they must expect a succession of these incidents—the bombing and sinking of British merchantmen in Spanish waters—against which the Government had protested. Only yesterday,

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U.S. SPREADING NET TO CATCH AGENTS OF FOREIGN POWERS

New York, June 21.

The Federal Bureau of Investigation indicated to-day that further arrests and a wider inquiry into Spy Ring activities would follow the present Grand Jury investigations.

It is believed that the intensity of the prosecution of alleged Nazi spies indicates that the Department of State is co-operating with the Federal Bureau of Investigation.—*United Press.*

Blunt Castigation

New York, June 21.

The Grand Jury indictments in the alleged Spy Ring case are described by the *New York Times* as one of the bluntest documents castigating a friendly nation since the Great War.

The newspaper points out that since 13 of the 18 accused are in Germany, the action of the Grand Jury appeared to be mainly a moral indictment of the German nation.

It is revealed that one of the clues was provided by continued surveillance of Mrs. Jessie Jordan, the Dundee hairdresser who was sentenced in Scotland on May 16 to four years' penal servitude for espionage against Great Britain. She acted as a "Post Office" between America and Germany, the *Times* alleges.—*Reuter.*

Not Taken Seriously

Berlin, June 21.

A denial that any active German officers were involved in espionage in the United States was contained in a statement to-day in the official German News Agency, which comments laconically: "We learn from well-informed circles there can be no question of espionage among active officers of the German Army in the United States."

German official circles refrain from taking too serious a view of the reports from New York.—*Reuter.*

Drastic Trade Reform Seems Japan Policy

Tokyo, June 21.

Business circles expect that the Government will announce on June 23 a programme for controlling the production of munitions and the distribution of industrial products.

Conscription of industrial products will probably include cotton purchases from overseas. It is believed, also, that the Government will announce an expansion of industrial output.—*United Press.*

Flood Tide Still Pours South-East

Waters Now 75 Miles Beyond Kaifeng

Chengchow, June 22.

The flood waters from the Yellow River have passed through Chowchinkow, about 75 miles south-east of Kaifeng, and are continuing to pour in a south-easterly direction.

Swollen by the flood waters, the Chin Lu River in east Honan is in danger of overflowing. Yenling and Fukou, two important cities lying between the Peiping-Hankow Railway and the Chin Lu River, are inundated. The Chinese garrison troops and inhabitants are working feverishly to strengthen the dykes along the river.

The National Relief Commission has commissioned two delegates to Honan to extend urgent relief to the flood refugees.

Meanwhile, the Honan Provincial Government has issued instructions to all *hsien* west of the Peiping-Hankow Railway to give accommodation and relief to the homeless and destitute.—*Central News.*

RUSH RELIEF

Hankow, June 22.

The Yellow River floods were discussed last night at an informal conference of Government leaders, including Dr. H. H. Kung, the Finance Minister.

It was decided to rush relief for the flood refugees and also to hasten work on the repair of the dykes.—*Reuter.*

"HUMANITY BOND" ISSUE

The Chinese Government has decided to float $100,000,000 worth of "Humanity Bonds" for the relief of war refugees. Only $30,000,000 worth of bonds will be issued at present.—*Reuter.*

France Won't Be Happy If Hainan Struck

Paris, June 21.

The French Government intends to stand firm on the question of Hainan Island, according to well informed quarters.

Japanese occupation of the island, which faces French colonial interests in Indo-China, would be considered harmful to French interests guaranteed by the Franco-Japanese Treaty of 1907.

When the Japanese Ambassador saw M. Georges Bonnet, the French Foreign Minister, yesterday, he declared that General Ugaki's recent statement regarding foreign Powers supporting China did not specially refer to France.—*Reuter.*

FRANCE CLOSES SPANISH FRONTIER

Road Of Supply To Loyalists Cut

Paris, June 21.

The French Foreign Office has ordered the sealing of the Pyrenees frontier against arms shipments to Spain.

It is hoped that this action will lead to a resumption of Franco-Italian negotiations.

Closure of the French frontier now leaves the Loyalists dependent on ships running the coastal blockade.—*United Press.*

NEARER AGREEMENT

London, June 21.

The sub-Committee of the Non-Intervention Committee sat for two hours to-day. Excellent progress was made on all points.

The Soviet delegate said that the U.S.S.R. Government had carefully examined the new proposal regarding Sea Control, suggested by Lord Plymouth. While it did not consider the proposal fully satisfactory, the Soviet was prepared to adopt it in a spirit of compromise and as a step towards the Soviet point of view.

Hopes for a resumption of Franco-Italian conversation were increased by the progress made at to-day's meeting of the Non-Intervention sub-Committee.

It is officially stated that the Committee unanimously approved the British plan, including the provisions for the restoration and strengthening of land and sea control and the

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BESIEGE TRAPPED JAPANESE UNITS INSIDE CHUNGMOW

Supplies Can Only Reach Garrison by Aircraft

Hankow, June 22.

Following disruption of the Japanese plans along the Lunghai Railway as a result of the Yellow River floods, the Chinese forces are launching attacks on the Japanese units east of Chengchow.

The Chinese are reported to be besieging five or six hundred Japanese troops who are trapped inside the city walls of Chungmow, where the flood waters are three miles wide and four feet deep.

The only method by which the trapped Japanese can receive supplies is by air.—*Reuter.*

Forced To Retire

Hankow, June 22.

Following a clash north-west of Yushih, an important city in the flood area south of Kaifeng, the Japanese forces were forced on Monday to retire within the city walls, where they are now besieged by flood and enemy alike.—*Reuter.*

Chinese Ready For Enemy

Hankow, June 22.

The breathing spell afforded to the Chinese armies by the Yellow River floods is being feverishly used by the Chinese to reorganise and take up new positions for the defence of Hankow from the south, in addition to the defence positions already taken against an attack along the Yangtse River.

The new Chinese position is said to be formed more or less in a straight line running diagonally across Honan Province, from Kinghsien, 35 miles west of Chengchow on the Lunghai Railway, through Hsuchang, on the Chengchow-Hankow Railway, and south-easterly to Kushih, where south Honan joins Anhwei province.

Behind this front line a second line has been formed, running diagonally through Honan through Singyang on the Chengchow-Hankow Railway. Troops are already in position along this second line, prepared to act as

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STOP PRESS

JAPANESE SUFFER SET-BACKS

Peiping, June 22.

Ninety per cent. of the waters of the Yellow River are still flowing through the breaks in the dykes near Kaifeng, states a Japanese report.

As a result of the flood waters reaching the upper Hwai River valley, this stream is rising rapidly.

While the Japanese are rescuing their units from the flooded areas, the Chinese are most active around Peiping and in Shansi province.

Three actions with large forces of Chinese guerillas are reported along the Peiping-Hankow railway, one of the battles interrupting rail communication between Peiping and Paotingfu. Guerillas burned down the wooden railway bridge at Kupeikow, disrupting traffic along the newly constructed Peiping-Jehol Railway.

Southern Shansi is reported to be in a chaotic state. The Japanese admit that 27 Chinese divisions are now in the southern half of the province, attacking constantly along the railway between Taiyuan and Puchow. As a result of the Chinese offensive in this area, rail traffic is frequently interrupted.—*Reuter.*

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After they've said Good Night

Margaretta Scott has a red, white and black colour scheme

CONVENT - EDUCATED actress Margaretta Scott, who plays chess in her spare time, deplores always being cast for classical parts because her voice and figure invite them.

She sits up till one or two o'cloc.. most mornings, gossiping with friends in the wine red, emerald green, royal blue, Regency-decorated drawing room, with white walls of her new Fitzroy-square flat.

"I'm generally tired out when I go to bed," she says. Her bedroom opens out of her bathroom, which is cream lineed, has a bath set in black marble. On the black glass splash running the wall length of the bath there is a white glass shelf, where Miss Scott keeps four flower-painted lotion and perfume bottles, boxes of talcum powder. Here she washes her hands with rose gardenio soap, brushes her teeth last thing.

. . Room suits her colouring

THE bedroom is decorated in red, white, and black, and suits her own colouring. She is tall, twenty-six years old, not plump, but rounded, has a halo of black, parted in the middle, curly hair, pink and white complexion, hazel eyes, thick black eyebrows, full red lips. "I slip out of my clothes and leave them in a neat pile on the floor for the maid to clear up," she laughed. "I'm not very tidy, I'm afraid."

Then she likes to sit on the floor (which is covered by an all-over carpet) and warm herself by the little electric stove, turn over the pages of a magazine before cleaning her face with cold cream, brushing her hair, and getting into bed.

Miss Scott's large bed has a padded end covered with red glazed chintz with white buttons and a thick white cord running round the edge of the frame.

The bedspread is of red and white striped glazed chintz, quilted and lined with white. It is fitted to the bed, trimmed with same thick white cord as the bed-end and valance.

. . Sometimes wears striped pyjamas

MISS SCOTT wears red and white striped silk tailored pyjamas, or white crepe de chine nightgowns with square necks, a blue ribbon round the waist, and a little embroidery.

She always reads in bed for a while before turning out the glass vase lamp on her three-shelved semi-circular white bedside table. The lampshade is white, with a red stripe top and bottom, like the one on the white painted wood standard lamp by the dressing table.

On the white modern dressing table, which has a black glass top, Miss Scott has a vase of narcissi, a red leather travelling clock, a powder bowl, two sets of perfume, and an oval tray, besides her folding mirror.

The dressing stool is oblong and padded, top covered with the striped chintz and the narrow sides with the red; the cross-over legs are white painted wood.

The window is behind the dressing-table, has long curtains of striped chintz with a horizontal four-inch hem of the same material.

There is one woolly rug in the room, with a pattern of different-sized black spots on a white ground. Over the mantel is a black-framed old playbill, and on the shelf a black glass frisky lamb.

. . Chairs, too, are red and white

FIRESIDE chair is legless, tub shaped, covered in red glazed padded chintz with white buttons and edged with thick white rope. White bedside chair has same sort of cushion.

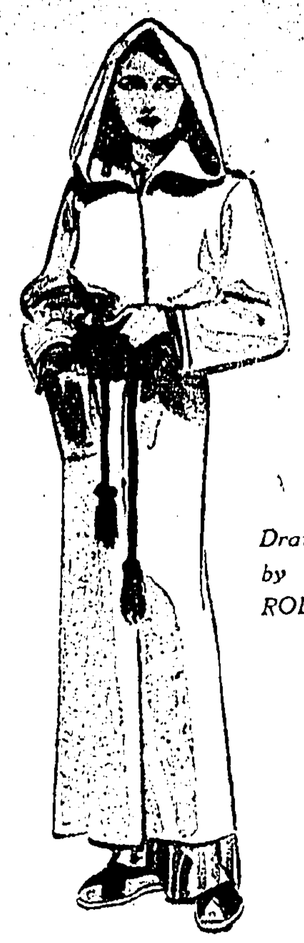
Wall facing the window is completely taken up by the four sliding doors of built-in wardrobes and cupboards, which have electric lights inside. These cupboards extend both sides of the fireplace as well. "They were here when I arrived in January," says Miss Scott, "and I can put everything away out of sight in them."

There are cigarettes on the table by Miss Scott's bed, but she rarely smokes upstairs, as she dislikes smoky bedrooms. Her nightcap is a glass of cold water.

ROSE MARIE HODGSON

HER DRESSING GOWN

is made of thick Turkish towelling, which costs 2s, 6½d. a yard, and takes 6¾ yards. This one is white with a red cord; sometimes she has blue ones. The peak-shaped hood is all in a piece with the dressing gown, which is simply made, wraps over, has one pocket on the right. Miss Scott wears red leather cross-over mules.



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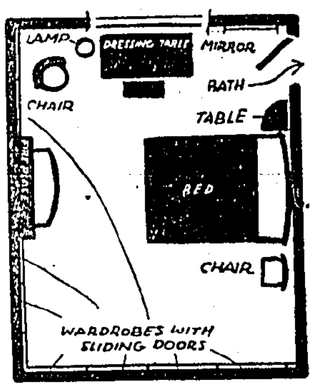

Diagram showing the layout of the room.

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An economical and delicious dish is jellied tinned salmon. First dissolve half an ounce of leaf gelatine in three tablespoonfuls of water. Keep the gas low, and stir continually until the gelatine has melted. Add a pinch of powdered mace, cayenne pepper, salt, and three dessert-spoonfuls of vinegar.

When you have removed the skin and bone from a tin of salmon, add this, and flake the fish into small pieces as you stir. Put in a mould when nearly cold, and allow to set. Leave in the mould until required, when it can be turned out.

Stuffed Cucumber

You will like stuffed cucumber. Begin by preparing the stuffing in this way. Take two tablespoonfuls of breadcrumbs, a tablespoonful of minced meat, an egg, and a little parsley. Mix well together, with pepper and salt to taste, and heat.

Peel a large cucumber, cut it into three-inch pieces, and remove the centres. Steam until well cooked, and when you have strained the cucumber, fill it with the prepared stuffing. A white sauce should be served with this.

Here is a recipe for a tasty egg and cheese dish. Hard boil three eggs and, when cold, remove the shells and halve the eggs lengthwise. Then put the yolks in a pan with two ounces of grated cheese and one ounce of butter; season with salt and pepper.

Warm, and stir until the butter has melted, when the mixture should be put into the white halves of the eggs, and served on lettuce.

An economical cow-heel mould makes a good hot weather evening meal. Stew a cow's heel very slowly with a pound of shoulder steak, and a little left-over ham. Season to taste, and then add some cut-up vegetables (not too large a proportion of these.)

When it is well cooked, cut the meat into small pieces, rinse a mould in cold water, and pour the whole, with the liquor, into this. Leave to set until the next day, and then turn out. Serve with a green salad.

N. M.

SURPRISE DISH

ALLUMETTES D'ANCHOIS

POUND together four filets of anchovy with four small filets raw whiting. When well mixed add pepper, salt, and two tablespoonfuls cream.

Make some short crust (6ozs. flour, 3½ozs shortening), roll out rather thin and cut into long strips about 3in. wide. Put sausage-shaped heaps of fish mixture at 1in. intervals along one strip of paste, lay a filet of anchovy along each sausage.

Cover with another strip and pinch down the paste between each sausage and along the edges. Cut into "allumettes" (matches), brush with beaten egg and bake in hot oven for fifteen minutes.

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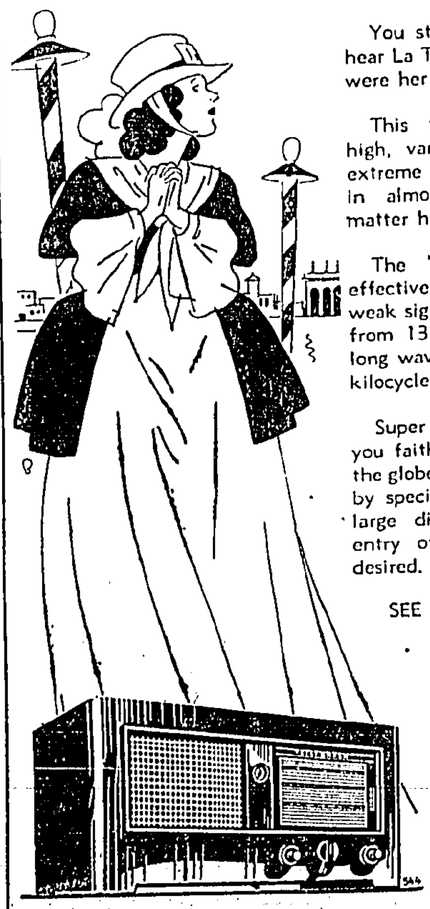

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Woman Acting as German Spy Made Sketch of Coast Defence

FOUR YEARS FOR "UNWANTED CHILD" OF TWO COUNTRIES

REVEALED to have been in communication with foreign agents in Germany and to have drawn a map of coast defences at a place in Scotland which would be of great value to an enemy bomber, Mrs. Jessie Jordan, 51-year-old Dundee hairdresser, was sentenced to four years' penal servitude in the High Court of Justiciary, Edinburgh, recently on charges under the official Secrets Acts.

In pleading for leniency her counsel, Mr. A. P. Duffes, K.C., told the Court an extraordinary story of her life—unwanted child of Scottish parents, she ran away at 16, became the wife of a German, and lived in Germany as a suspect under the Hitler regime.

"She realises," he said, "that in view of what has occurred neither this country nor Germany has any place for her except prison."

While Mrs. Jordan, a grey-haired woman dressed in green, waited in the dock, her daughter, who was married at Gretna, after her mother's arrest, to a Glasgow salesman, arrived in court.

Mr. J. S. C. Reid, K.C., M.P., Solicitor-General for Scotland, and Mr. J. F. Strachan prosecuted, and Mr. A. P. Watt defended.

AMENDED CHARGES

Mr. Duffes announced at the opening that he had informed counsel for the Crown that he was prepared to advise his client to plead guilty to a modified charge.

The modified indictment read that:

Having, between June 1, 1937, and March 2, 1938, been in communication with foreign agents, you, for purposes prejudicial to the safety and interests of the State,

(1) Between February 14, 1937, and November 17, 1937, at a place in Fife prohibited within the meaning of the Official Secrets Act, made a sketch or plan, calculated to be useful to an enemy, and obtained information regarding the prohibited place calculated to be useful to an enemy and did record part of the information on the sketch;

(2) Between February 14, 1937, and December 7, 1937, at Montrose and Kirkcaldy and at various places on the East Coast of Scotland, between Montrose and Kirkcaldy, obtained information relative to coastguard stations and coastal defence at the place marked on a map produced calculated to be useful to an enemy, and recorded part of the information on the map.

Addressing the Lord Justice Clerk in a plea for leniency Mr. Duffes said Mrs. Jordan had informed him that she was not asked to obtain the particulars. She was asked to verify information which had already been obtained.

A case of this type might suggest that the authorities perhaps ought to have greater powers than they had.

"My client comes before you neither as an unrepentant offender against the law nor as a whining penitent," said Mr. Duffes.

"What she did was not done for reward."

What she received did not amount to much; nor did she act from any hostility or ill-will to this country.

"She is now 51 years of age. She was born in London and was an illegitimate child. According to the particulars I could obtain she was an unwanted child.

"Her mother married afterwards, not her father, but another man, and by him she had a very large family, something like 16 children."

She had been assisted by a relative of her mother's in Wales, who had advanced her a substantial sum to enable her to start her hairdresser's business in Dundee. "I do not think it would be disputed that it was a genuine business," said Mr. Duffes.

RAN AWAY AT 16

"At the age of 16 she ran away from home and obtained employment in domestic service. She moved about for a period in England and Scotland in domestic service. It was in that way that she formed the link that eventually brought her into this dock.

"She was able in a humble way to render service to a young German who was at that time, about 1907, in this country and who, I think, had a brother also in this country—a man named Jordan.

"She was able to help him and she received an invitation to go to their home in Germany. She went and lived with them for a time. Shortly afterwards these young people married and a daughter was born.

"That apparently was the only comfortable and happy period in my client's life.

"Then the war came, her husband fought on the German side and eventually died of injuries or disease contracted during service. My client, both during and after the war, remained in Germany as a suspect.

"With varying success she was able to carry on her business and in the interval contracted another marriage which was not a success and she divorced her second husband.

"CERTAIN REQUESTS"

"Latterly, as your Lordship may know from your general knowledge, there was an anti-Jewish agitation in Germany and I am told that the name Jordan has in Germany a Jewish significance.

"Mainly in her daughter's interests she decided quite recently to come to Scotland and make certain inquiries as to her parentage. Having made inquiries she went back to Germany and then decided quite recently to return to Scotland.

"Either by accident, or it may have been by design, she missed her boat and certain requests were made to her to render the service which she ultimately did render in this country.

"As far as I can fathom her own attitude, I doubt if she is very apprehensive about the penalty which your lordship may inflict, because she seems to realise or to feel that, in view of what has occurred, neither this country nor Germany has any place for her except in prison.

"UNWANTED CHILD"

Mr. Duffes added: "The position would seem to be that, having started in her native country of Scotland as an unwanted child, she finds herself now a woman of 51, partly through her own fault and partly through fate and misfortune, again in a very real sense an unwanted child, both as regards her native country and the country in which she has spent the greater part of her life—Germany."

The Solicitor-General said: "I think it is right to point out that the foreign agents referred to in the initial part of the indictment are foreign agents in Germany.

"With regard to the first charge, relating to making a sketch of a prohibited place in Fife, I am bound to say this:

"The prohibited place there referred to is a place of first-class national importance in connection with the defence services, and the sketch, although it may appear to be a somewhat amateurish effort, is, I am assured on expert advice, a sketch which would be of very great value to the pilot of an enemy bombing aeroplane who was seeking out his objective at that prohibited place."

The Lord Justice Clerk then passed sentence. "You have pleaded guilty to two charges of very serious offences under the Official Secrets Acts," he said.

"It is impossible to take a light view of offences of that kind. In considering what sentence to impose, the governing consideration must be what is required in the national interests."

As "four years" was spoken Mrs. Jordan seemed for a moment to suffer a shock, but she recovered her composure almost immediately.

Then, with the truncheon-bearing constables accompanying her, she was taken from the court. As she went out she gave a quick glance and a smile to the back of the court where her daughter was sitting.

Manfried Hauptmann, 5, son of Bruno Heuptmann, executed for the murder of the Lindbergh baby, suffered fractures of the right leg and bruises of the cheeks and left ear, when he was struck by an automobile in The Bronx, New York City. Frank H Moser of Hastings-on-Hudson said he darted from behind another car. Boy is shown with his mother

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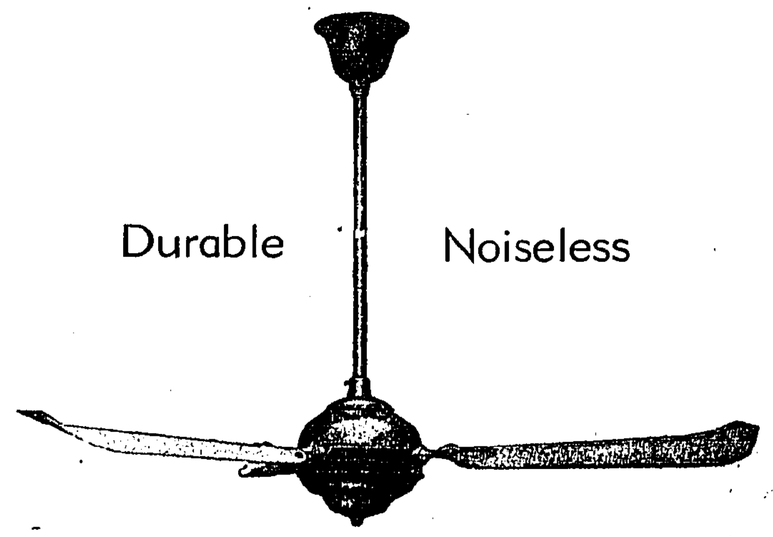

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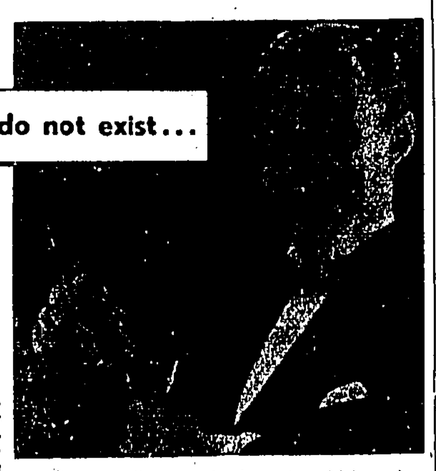

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Hongkong, 22nd June, 1938

BRITAIN CANNOT PREVENT BOMBING

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he said, the Government had sent a note reserving claims for compensation.

Concluding, the Prime Minister said the only satisfactory solution for Britain would be the termination of the War. The Government would from time to time make soundings with a view to seeing whether there were any favourable prospects of success and when the time came would be only glad to offer its services, either alone or in conjunction with other powers, in assisting to bring this lamentable conflict to an end.—*Reuter Special.*

HOPE FOR NEW CODE

London, June 21.

Coincident with the adoption by the sub-Committee of the Non-Intervention Committee of the British plan for control in Spain, which has considerably enhanced the prospects of complete success for the Anglo-Italian pact, the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, told the House of Commons to-day that he was formulating an International Code for Aerial Warfare.

The Prime Minister revealed his scheme after Mr. P. J. Noel-Baker, Labour Member for Coventry, had charged that aerial bombings of civilians in Spain and China had sickened the world.

The Prime Minister admitted that new horrors and new problems beset the world in future wars.

THREE PRINCIPLES

Three general principles would receive acceptance in any International Code adopted regarding the conduct of aerial warfare. It was a violation of International Law to deliberately attack civilians. Objects of attack must be legitimate military objectives. Thirdly, most reasonable care must be taken not to bomb civilians in the neighbourhood of military objectives.

"I cannot too strongly condemn declarations that it is part of a nation's policy to try and win war by bombing civilians.

"There are, however, practical difficulties of applying the three principles outlined above. For instance, a nation may deny that its airmen are deliberately bombing civilians. The difficulty, too, is to define military objectives and to determine whether the killing of civilians is due to carelessness."—*United Press.*

SPAIN WILL HELP

London, June 21.

It is learned from official sources that the Spanish Government is ready to collaborate with the International Commission, consisting of members from Great Britain, Sweden and Norway, which the British Government proposes shall be established to enquire into aerial bombings of Spain.—*Reuter.*

Later.

Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, winding up the debate, said to-day's Non-Intervention Committee agreement had gone a long way towards putting non-intervention into practice. The plan was to make it operate fairly for all sides.

An improved sea observation scheme would make it virtually impossible for a ship to enter a Spanish port without an observer, or without being observed.

A Labour amendment to reduce Foreign Office estimates was defeated by 287 to 146.—*Reuter.*

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FLOODS AID CHINESE IN COUNTER-ATTACK

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a nucleus round which the armies retreating from the first line can take up positions should the occasion arise.

Powerful Positions

Behind this second line is still another line of defence, running in a semi-circle from Wusheng, through Naching and across the southern bank of the Yangtse, where a major stand will be attempted. This third line will be stocked with fresh troops, supported by the newly organised artillery and mechanised units.

Guarding the flanks of these three main lines are two forces, one running northward along the Lunghai Railway between Kunghsien and Tungkwan, and southward from Tungkwan along the Tapishan Mountains, and the other to the south, running southward from Jushih to Kauklang, where the biggest boom is placed across the Yangtse River.

60 Divisions In Line

It is stated that the total number of troops employed in the defence of Hankow exceeds 60 divisions.

It is impossible to obtain any official figures of the newly organised Chinese artillery and mechanised units, but information from usually reliable sources indicates that the organisation of 30 artillery regiments has been completed. The Chinese Army is also reported to have recently obtained 1,200 new tanks.

The new artillery units will be equipped with 380 field pieces from Soviet Russia and another 300 pieces from other countries. The Soviet guns are 72 millimetre field guns. In addition there are some six inch guns.

The tanks are mainly light and medium weight vehicles of four, five, seven and nine tons.

While there is no doubt but that these new guns and tanks will be used in the defence of Hankow, it is reliably learned that only part of the newly arrived armaments will be flung into battle, many of them being held in reserve for a possible later battle in western Hunan.—*Reuter.*

FRANCE CLOSES SPANISH FRONTIER

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establishment of observers at certain Spanish ports.

The Committee, after sitting for two hours this afternoon, adjourned until Friday, when it will dispose of certain details concerning a scheme for financing by the various participant Governments of the new non-intervention scheme.

The full Non-Intervention Committee will now be informed of the scheme and will meet shortly to approve it. The scheme will then be presented to the two sides in the civil war in Spain.—*Reuter.*

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

SWAN, CULBERTSON & FRITZ LATEST REPORTS

New York, June 21.

S. C. & F. Dow Jones summary of yesterday's markets:

Pittsburgh steel scrap prices registered another rise to-day, indicating an improved demand for steel, while copper prices also strengthened. Building-material manufacturers expect an upturn in the prices of their products in the second-half of the year, on the belief that the industrial recovery will commence late in the Summer. Unfavourable factors include the market's technical weakness due to the sudden rise and lack of clarification of the position of the utility industry. There is considerable anxiety as to the ability of border-line railroads to meet interest payments on loans.

Dow Jones Averages	June 20	Close
30 Industrials	116.61	121.34
20 Rails	20.70	21.51
20 Utilities	19.36	19.60
40 Bonds	84.49	84.84
11 Commodity Index	48.29	48.34

JAPAN MUST CRUSH ALL RESISTANCE

Chinese Paper Quotes Japanese Opinion

"Until the formidable resistance of the Chinese Nation is broken, Japan cannot end the Sino-Japanese war as she wishes; and it is apparent that the day of Japanese victory is still distant," writes the Peiping correspondent of the semi-official *Yomiuri Shimbun* in recent correspondence from the northern front, according to the *Wah Tze Evening Post*, local vernacular paper.

A most significant development in the current war, continues the correspondent, is the spreading of the will of resistance against the Japanese among the civilians as well as soldiers with the dissemination of the anti-Japanese publicity and education. The traditional anti-Japanese policy of the National Government has penetrated to millions who now fight the Japanese "blindly". Under the banner of resistance against the Japanese, all domestic differences which would have caused bloodshed in former days, have been buried, the writer observes.

The only way out for Japan now is to continue the expedition until the power of the Chinese resistance is totally wrecked, the Japanese writer concludes.

KING WATCHES MOCK BATTLE

London, June 21

His Majesty the King, aboard the flagship Nelson, watched a spectacular demonstration by the Home Fleet in action during all-day manoeuvres over a battle area of three hundred square miles in the English Channel.

The exercises included a torpedo attack by 18 destroyers on H.M.S. Nelson and H.M.S. Rodney, two hits being registered on each ship.

The Fleet was also subjected to a mass an attack by 18 torpedo bombers.

A belt of fog appeared during the manoeuvres and a number of exercises had to be abandoned, including the firing of 15-in. guns on wireless controlled targets from the battleship Royal Oak.—*Reuter.*

DE VALERA ON SOLID GROUND

Dublin, June 21

The de Valera Government has secured an absolute majority of 16 seats over all other parties in the elections.

He gained eight seats at the expense of the Cosgrave Party and Labour.

Final state of the parties in the elections is as follows:

	Old Dail	New Dail
Fianna Fail	69	75
Fine Gael	48	45
Labour	13	9
Independent	8	7

—*Reuter.*

Woman To Sue Prince For £50,000

Paris.

Mme. Jeanette Suchestov, Polish beauty, whose engagement to Prince Michael Radziwill, Polish cousin of the ex-Kaiser, was reported seven months ago, has started a suit against the prince for £50,000 breach of promise damages.

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October	8.62/62	8.63/64
December	8.66/67	8.68/68
Jan. (1939) ...	8.67/67	8.68/68
Mar. (1939) ...	8.71/71	8.73/73
May (1939) ...	8.73/73	8.75/75
Spot	——	8.71

The First Notice Day for July Cotton is June 28, with delivery date July 5.

New York Rubber

July	12.80/79	12.87/87
September ...	13.01/12.97	13.03/05
December ...	13.11/09	13.16/19
March	——	13.30/30
May	——	13.43/43

Sales for the day:—4,410 tons.

Chicago Wheat

July	78 /77¾	77 /77⅛
September .	79½/79⅛	78 /78⅛
December ..	——	79⅛/79⅞

Monday's Sales—30,388,000 bushels.

Chicago Corn

July	57⅞/57¾	57⅞/57¼
September .	58¾/58⅞	58½/58⅝
December .	——	57¾/57⅝

Winnipeg Wheat

July	109½/109⅜	109¼/109⅛
October .	87½/87⅞	87⅝/87¾
Dec.	——	84¾/84¾

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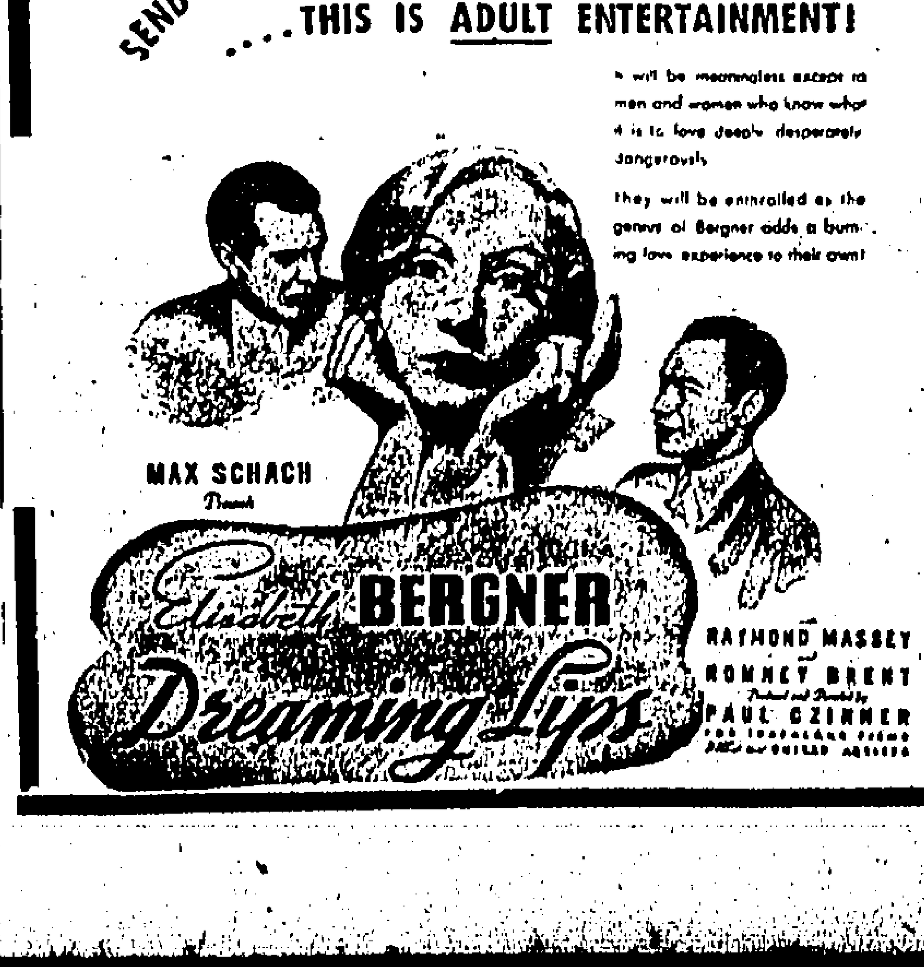

Tennis

Chinese R.C. Almost Sure Of Shield

Beat K.C.C. Easily By Nine To Nil

Kowloon Cricket Club's challenge to the Chinese Recreation Club for the "A" Division tennis league championship, ended ignominiously yesterday, the K.C.C., though enjoying use of their own courts, being beaten by nine sets to love.

As in previous years, the Chinese won so handsomely because generally speaking they possessed the stronger and more reliable finishing shots. Nevertheless, one hardly expected the home players to fare so disastrously. Losing the opening three sets was a bitter pill and they never recovered from it, the task of the champions becoming easier as the match progressed.

Tsui Yun-pui, Paul Kong and W. C. Hung played dependable tennis and were the most impresive figures for the winners, though Tsui Wai-pui also pulled out some glorious winners on occasions.

Guest and Gray had a peculiar experience. After winning the first four games against Lee Wai-tong and Luk Ding-cheung in the first set, they proceeded to lose the next 18 games is a row to concede the three sets at 4-6, 0-6, 0-6.

Ernest Fincher was worried by string breaking in his racket and he and Teddy Fincher never settled down to their normal game. Burnett and Crawford made strong efforts to snacth a set and led Hung and Tsui Wai-pui 3-1, but they could not sustain the effort.

The C.R.C. are practically assured of the title for another season. They have yet to meet the Indian Recreation Club, who, by reason of their success over the Club de Recreio, are the only team now in a position to thwart the Chinese.

At Sookunpoo the Indians, after leading by 4½ sets to 1½ at the end of the second round, only managed to beat the Club de Recreio by 5½ to 3½. As usual, S. A. and Omar Rumjahn were the best Indian pair and took three sets. In their last set against A. V. Gosano and F. J. Remedios, however, they were trailing 1-3 and it was just as well that they improved to take the set; for the othe rtwo Indian pairs dropped theirs.

Scores:

Indian Recreation Club beat Recreio 5½-3½ in the "A" Division of the Tennis League yesterday.

S. A. and O. Rumjahn beat A. V. Remedios and J. Gonsalves 6-4; beat A. V. Gosano and F. J. Remedios 6-4; beat H. A. Barros and C. A. Botelho 6-2.

A. R. Minu and I. M. A. Razack lost to Remedios and Gonsalves 4-6; beat Gosano and Remedios 6-0; drew with Barros and Botelho 6-6.

H. D. Rumjahn and A. H. Madar lost to Remedios and Gonsalves 3-6; beat Gosano and Remedios 6-3; lost to Barros and Botelho 3-6.

K.C.C. v. C.R.C.

Kowloon Cricket Club lost to Chinese Recreation Club 0-9.

G. C. Burnett and A. Crawford lost to W. C. Hung and Tsui Wai-pui 4-6; lost to Tsui Yun-pui and Paul Kong 3-6; lost to Lee Wai-tong and Luk Ding-cheung 4-6.

A. E. P. Guest and S. A. Gray lost to Hung and Tsui 0-6; lost to Tsui and Kong 0-6; lost to Lee and Luk 4-6.

E. C. Fincher and E. F. Fincher lost to Hung and Tsui 2-6; lost to Tsui and Kong 2-6; lost to Lee and Luk 3-6.

SOUTH CHINA v. U.S.R.C.

South China lost to United Service 3-6.

A. Chan and F. N. Wong lost to L. Goldman and G. E. R. Divett 3-6; beat J. Smalley and D. S. Misra 6-1; beat Irwin and Beadnell 6-1.

H. K. Ho and H. Y. Hsu lost to Goldman and Divett 0-6; lost to Smalley and Misra 4-6; lost to Irwin and Beadnell 4-6.

Y. K. Ng and P. Y. Chang lost to Goldman and Divett 2-6; beat Smalley and Misra 6-3; lost to Irwin and Beadnell 1-6.

Joe Louis Defends His Title To-Day

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—Schmeling, Germany's idol befriended by Adolph Hitler, versus Louis, a Negro whose spectacular rise in professional boxing carried him to the championship when he was only 23, in a bout staged by Mike Jacobs, a Jew who is the leading entrepreneur in the pugilistic realm.

OUT FOR REVENGE

There will be a vicious Louis, bent on keeping the coveted title in his possession and in so doing, avenging the humiliation wrought on him at a time when he was being idolized as invincible. On the other hand, there will be Schmeling, obsessed with the desire to win back his long-lost honours and to prove to a waiting world that he is still superior to the man he thoroughly drubbed two years ago. But there is more than a personal motive: the entire German nation expects him to win, no matter who his opponent may be, because he is a German. Duty to the Fatherland will be as great an incentive as his personal reasons.

Both fighters will be almost the same weight. Schmeling will probably weigh in at 197 pounds while Louis is likely to scale 202.

With ticket prices ranging from $3.75 for bleacher seats to $30 for ringside locations, and with the prospects of at least 80,000 attendance, a gate exceeding a million dollars is anticipated—the first one since the last Tunney-Dempsey fight in 1927. If economic conditions had been similar to those of '27, a three million dollar gate might have been expected.

Eighty thousand rabid spectators will jam the Yankee outdoor stadium to witness the fight, but millions of others in every corner of the world will be crowding around radios to listen to the blow-by-blow description while countless others will be waiting for cabled bulletins flashing the outcome of the season's greatest sporting event—a contest between a big, heavy-browed German who says He Will, and a big, black boy who says He Wont.

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Japan and Shanghai	Rajputana	June 24.

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For	Per	Date and Time.
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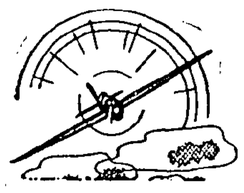

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STOCK MARKET REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary, issued at 3.15 p.m. yesterday, reads:

The interest noted in the market yesterday was maintained to-day and resulted in a fair amount of business passing, closing on the steady side. Old Providents had buyers at $3.40, but no transactions were reported, whilst the New shares were sought after at $3.30, shares previously having changed hands from $3.15 to $3¼. Docks, Old and New, were also enquired for at $17½ and $17 respectively, Trams were placed as high as $17 and Dairy Farms were dealt in at $23. Macao Electrics improved to buyers at $18 after sales at $18.20. H.K. Banks were placed in small lots at $1,440 with further enquiries at this rate.

Buyers

H.K. Docks (Old) $17½
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Providents (New) $3.30
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H.K. Lands $33½
H.K. Lands 4% Debentures $101
H.K. Tramways $16.90
Peak Trams (Old) $6½
China Lights (Old) $10.40
H.K. Electrics $57
Macao Electrics $18
Dairy Farms $23
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Sales

Hongkong Bank $1,440
H.K. Docks $17½
H.K. Docks (New) $16½
Providents (Old) $3.20
Providents (New) $3.10/25
H.K. Lands $33½
H.K. Tramways $16.90/17
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Baguio Gold .22½
Coco Grove .47
Consolidated Mines .0035
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I X L .70
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RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 7.)

8.03 Reginald Foort (Organ) and Sam Browne (Baritone).

Sleep, My Little One (Lullaby—Hautzik—Riesenfeld); In The Chapel In The Moonlight (Hill)....Reginald Foort at the B. B. C. Theatre Organ; Have You Forgotten So Soon (Gilbert and Nicholls); Talking Through My Heart (From 'Big Broadcast of 1937')....Sam Browne; Reminiscences Of Friml; Intro:—Indian Love Call; The Mounties; Chanson; The Door Of My Dreams; Rose Marie; March Of The Vagabonds; Only a Rose; L'amour toujours l'amour; Serenade....Reginald Foort at the Organ of The Parmount Theatre, London; Gee, Oh Gosh, I'm Grateful (Nesbitt, Bros. and Carr); What's Good For The Goose, Is Good For The Gander (Friend)....Sam Browne and Girl Friend with Two Pianos; "Broadway Melody Of 1938"—Selection; Intro:—Your Broadway and my Broadway; Yours and mine; Everybody sing....Reginald Foort at the B.B.C. Theatre Organ.

8.30 London Relay—"Topical Gazette."

A fortnightly review of things at Home. Presented by Pascoe Thornton.

9.00 Studio—Rambles Of An Aimless Ambler—(with Albert).

The Second of A Weekly Series.

9.10 Selections from Puccini Operas.

"La Boheme" (Act 1) Che Gelida Manina ....Jussi Bjorling (Tenor) Orchestra conducted by Nils Grevillius; "La Boheme" Lovely Maid In The Moonlight .....Rosetta Pampanini and Dino Borgioli with Orchestra; Goodbye To Sweet Awakening (Quartette Act 3) ....Rosetta Pampanini, Dino Borgioli, Aurora Rettore and Gino Vanelli with Orchestra; Manon Lescaut—Intermezzo ....Milan Symphony Orchestra conducter by Cav. Lorenzo Molajoli; "Tosca" (Act 1) Recondita Armenia ....Jussi Bjorling (Tenor) with Orchestra conducted by Nils Grevillius.

9.30 London Relay—The News.

9.55 London Relay—'The Northumberland Plate'.

A commentary on the race from Gosforth Park, Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

10.15 A Variety Programme with Sandy Powell, The Mills Brothers, Greta Keller and Bing Crosby.

Pennies From Heaven (From the Film); Let's Call A Heart A Heart (From 'Pennies From Heaven')....Bing Crosby with Georgie Stoll and His Orchestra; Sandy's First Baby—Humorous Sketch ....Sandy Powell and Company; London Rhythm; Solitude...The Mills Brothers (Four Boys and a Guitar); Take My Heart (Ahlort, Young); Would You? (From 'San Francisco')....Greta Keller with Orchestra Accomp.; Dear Old Girl; Just One Word Of Consolation ....Bing Crosby and the Three Cheers (Piano Accomp. by Ivan Ditmars); Swing Is The Thing (From 'The Blackbirds of 1938'); Long About Midnight....The Mills Brothers (Four Boys and a Guitar); Song Of The Islands (Arr. King); Aloha Oe (Liliuokalani, Kennedy)...Bing Crosby with Dick McIntire and his Harmony Hawaiians.

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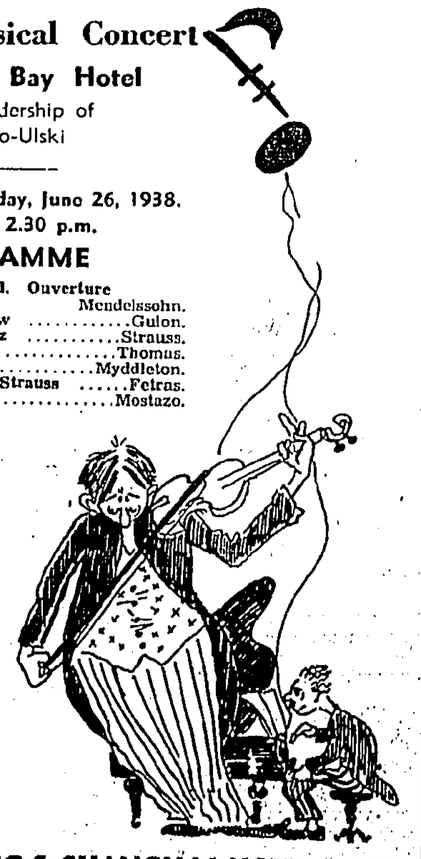

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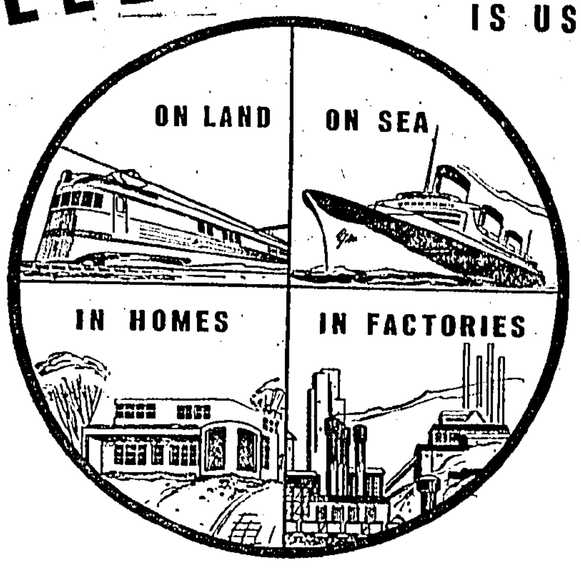

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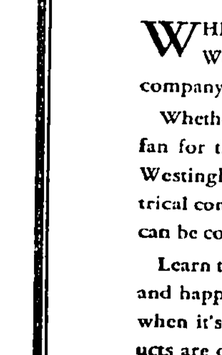

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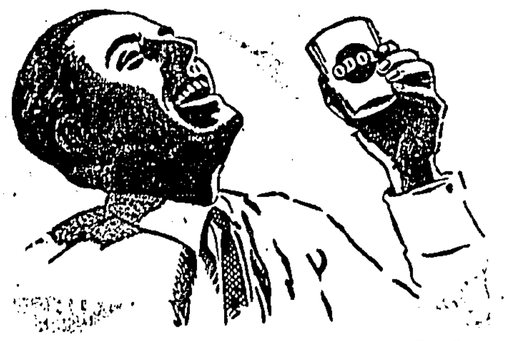

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ANNOUNCEMENT

The wedding of Mr G W Giffen and Miss E E Hadley will take place at St Andrew's Church, Kowloon, on Monday, June 27, 1938, at 4 p.m and not at 4.30 p.m. as previously announced. Invitations are not being sent but all friends are cordially invited to the ceremony and to the reception afterwards at Kingsville, Carnarvon Road, Kowloon

The Hongkong Telegraph.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 1938.

IS APPEASEMENT WORKING?

When the Covenant of the League of Nations was signed it was felt that the nations were about to embark on a new and higher standard of international morality. The bad old days of back-door diplomacy and intrigue were replaced by "open agreements, openly arrived at." The arbitrament of war was renounced and in its place there was to be conciliation and arbitration. Every nation was to be guaranteed against external aggression. International co-operation was to replace jingoistic nationalism. An era of all-round disarmament was to replace the disastrous competition in armaments.

For some years after the Covenant came into force these high hopes were fulfilled to a surprising extent. Then one principle was abandoned in 1931 and since then the whole edifice has been crumbling with alarming rapidity. To-day international morality has touched low levels undreamed of before the Great War. The result is chaos.

"Can the world get back to that higher standard of morality that existed prior to the Manchuria incident? That seems to be the crucial question. If this *is* the essential problem of international affairs at the present moment then clearly any proposed settlement must be examined from the standpoint of whether or not it contributes to the rebuilding of a code of international morality, or whether, in fact, it makes more difficult that task. It is when the Anglo-Italian agreement is viewed in that light that many who welcome any genuine attempt at appeasement are somewhat perturbed by certain elements in it," writes Mr. Hebe Spaull, the Geneva commentator. Great Britain and Italy seem to place great confidence in this agreement, but it has made no tremendous impression upon the rest of the world, and the high hopes held by many that it would hasten an end of intervention in Spain have been dashed. It was a stipulation that the pact should not come into force until the foreign volunteers had been withdrawn from the Spanish arena, and, it may be guessed, it was Great Britain's idea that the removal of intervention would see a more rapid settlement of the Spanish problem. The fact that Britain demanded this withdrawal by Italy is significant, indicating that without this concession on the part of Rome, the benefits of the agreement were not balanced. There have been no very striking efforts made to remove the volunteer units by either side. It seems likely that a further compromise must be offered if the Italo-British agreement is going to have a chance to bear fruit—before the end of Spanish hostilities and before Italy has had her way in Spain. Lord Plymouth is trying to arrange an armistice—and this, it is considered, might allow the implementation of the agreement. Such an arrangement will seem to some unsatisfactory, as it still fails to remove the danger apparent in the continued presence of foreign troops on Spanish soil. It is bound to be said, if Britain tolerates this compromise, that this is just another instance of diplomatic retreat. And some will look upon it as worse than retreat. One commences to feel, with Spaull, that this treaty business opens the door to diplomatic sharp practice.

Personalities of Old Hongkong

The Hon. Mr. William Henry Adams

Printer, Reporter, Editor, Barrister, Politician, And Chief Justice

By T. Paul Gregory

FEW individuals in the history of Hongkong can better deserve the designation of "self-made" than the Hon. William Henry Adams, Attorney General and subsequently Chief Justice of the Colony from 1859 to 1863. It was entirely through his own efforts that he rose in the world and his career showed that he was a man of considerable ability and initiative. He was in turn, compositor, proof-reader, reporter, sub-editor, editor, newspaper proprietor, barrister, Member of Parliament, and ultimately Attorney General of Hongkong.

William Henry Adams was born at Normancross, Huntingdonshire, England in the year 1809. He was the son of Thomas Adams, Esq., a man in poor circumstances, so that he was unable to provide his son with the advantages which would aid him in his struggle with the world. Young Adams studied a few years in the village school and then was put to work in order to help support the family. The job that he procured would not prove very attractive to most modern lads; for it was that of a printer's "devil" in the village print shop. After some years' apprenticeship, he became a journeyman compositor and travelled around the country in search of employment. His work as a type-setter and later as a proof reader in the various newspaper offices in England and Wales aroused in him an interest in the profession of journalism.

His experience in reading proof had taught him the essentials of newspaper style, and he now felt that he could turn out "copy" at least as good as that which he was compelled to proof-read, and consequently his next step was to secure a job as a reporter. He was now in what he termed his "seventh heaven," and henceforth progress was rapid. He also became interested in the study of the law, and managed to combine his interests so that he served as legal reporter for the *Morning Herald*. Although, he eventually rose to be a sub-editor, and later editor of the paper, the law now became his prime interest, and at length his spare time reading enabled him to become a barrister. He was called to the Bar of the Middle Temple in 1843, and as an advocate soon acquired a lucrative practice. However, he did not desert his first interest—Journalism—but continued in it more ardently than ever; for now he was able to carry out the dreams of his earlier years and to purchase the very paper on which he spent so much time. As a newspaper publisher and a successful barrister, he was now in a position to make his influence felt, and it is not surprising that he successfully contested Boston in 1857 and sat in the House of Commons as its representative until 1859.

His name was now well known throughout Britain, and with Mr. T. C. Anstey's dismissal from the Attorney Generalship of Hongkong confirmed by the Secretary of State for the Colonies, Queen Victoria appointed him in his stead.

Mr. Adams arrived in Hongkong by the P. & O. steamer Malabar on September 7, 1859. The newly appointed Governor, Sir Hercules Robinson was incidentally a passenger on the same boat, and it is significant that their association on the voyage inaugurated a warm friendship which was to influence the course of affairs in the Colony.

Popular A.G.

The first appearance of the new Attorney General in the Supreme Court was on September 12. It was noteworthy from the fact that Mr. Adams initiated a new practice of opening court promptly at 10 o'clock a.m. instead of postponing the session, as had his predecessor, until noon. His insistance on punctuality greatly impressed the residents of the Colony and the Press commented favourably upon it, expressing confidence in his firmness and ability. Mr. Adams was now fifty years old, and perhaps his years of toil had somewhat prematurely aged him. Nevertheless, he proceeded to show his mettle and distinguished himself for his impartiality and fairness in administering justice. The local residents were delighted with him; abuses which had been allowed to remain ever since the founding of the Colony were fearlessly abolished and Hongkong was no longer regarded at Home as the "place where libel flourished and corruption was rampant."

The Governor Sir Hercules Robinson felt that he had in Adams the very man to assist him and he at once named him to a seat on the Executive Council. As a member of the Governor's council, the Attorney General rendered himself invaluable, and his advice helped to assure for Sir Hercules a smooth, unruffled administration.

His appointment as Attorney General was, however, but a temporary one, and on April 4, 1860, the Governor nominated Mr. Adams to be the Chief Justice of the Colony. This change in official position was due to the naming of John Smale to serve on the Bench as Attorney General. In the meantime, the climate of Hongkong did not prove to be conducive to the health of the new Chief Justice. His constitution, which apparently had never been strong, suddenly became greatly impaired, and Mr. Adams, to the great regret of the residents of the Colony, began to entertain thoughts of going back to England. However, he stayed here as long as he could, and it was not until April 1, 1863 that he departed for home on sick leave. Every one was reluctant to see him go, and all sections of the community including the Chinese inhabitants presented addresses to him, hoping for the speedy recovery of his health and his prompt return to the Colony.

Early Death

The Hon. W. H. Adams, the Chief Justice, who had but shortly left the Colony died at the residence of his son, Captain Adams, at Plas Llysssyn, Carno, Montgomeryshire, Wales, on August 29, 1865 at the age of 56 years. He had been in failing health for some time, and the news of his passing which reached Hongkong on October 26, "cast quite a gloom over the place where he had been much liked." A local paper alluding to his death, thus spoke of him:

"It is almost too painful for us to speak of his many estimable qualities, at a time when admiration ought properly to give way to grief. There cannot be two opinions as to the ability with which he discharged his office. A juster, a more conscientious, or an abler man never sat upon the Bench in this Colony. Every one must admit that his judgments were delivered with care and with great undeniable wisdom. He was one of the best men that ever came to China, or left it."

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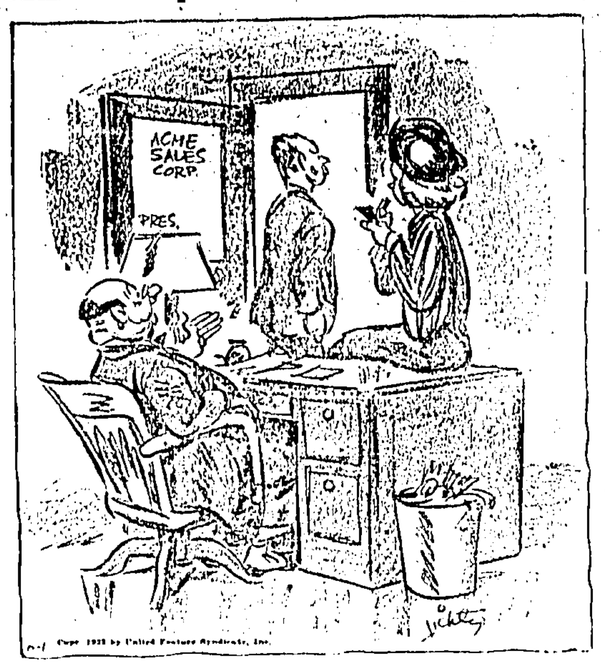

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CLEMENCE DANE asks

What is a Wife Worth?

HOW much is a wife worth—in cash?

How much is a husband worth—in cash?

I have not been reading Edgar Wallace. I am not quoting the complaints of *Bosambo*, nor the judgments of the adorable *Sanders*. These are English questions asked by men and women in the past year.

Does a husband own his wife? It would seem so. In the past 40 years her value has been put as high as £25,000, as low as one farthing, and the thief has had to pay for making away with such valuable or negligible property.

Here, on the face of it, is an odd state of affairs, and it would be easy, by collecting a list of damage cases, to work up a most eloquent tirade on "man-made laws" and "another injustice to women."

Out of Date

BUT before doing so let us find out just what this apparently insulting business of damages really means; for there's generally common sense and justice behind the oddest rulings of English law. The trouble is that even justice can get out of date.

What are damages?

"Damages," to quote the late Lord Birkenhead, "are compensation for the loss which the spouse who brings the petition has sustained."

Damages were once a necessity. When primitive man paid cows for a wife he naturally expected to have them returned with interest if he were cheated by his living bargain.

Nearer our own times it became an unwritten law that part, at any rate, of the damages paid by the co-respondent was settled on the wife or her children. And this, too, was common sense and decency in times when a married woman was regarded as *Petruchio* regarded *Katharine*.

"She is my goods, my chattels: she is my house . . .
My horse, my ox, my ass, my anything."

Married women had no property. What was to become of them if they were deserted by their lovers? Damages was a merciful safeguard against starvation or the streets.

But to-day women are property-owning citizens, capable of self-support. The necessity for other support has vanished.

Business Partnership

THEN what should become of the damages? Should the petitioner himself retain them? The idealist cries: "No!"

But then the idealist forgets that nowadays marriage is first of all a business partnership.

It costs money to get married: it costs money to keep a home going. The average husband has sunk his capital, his business training, and his wages in the partnership; the average wife has sunk her capital, her time, her work, or wages in the partnership. It is a going concern.

One is tempted to say that such a husband and wife have no more right to leave each other in the lurch than two members of any other going concern. It is difficult to avoid the conclusion that if the partnership is broken the money losses should be made good by the breaker of the partnership.

It is not mere chance that one husband recovers £1,000, another a mere farthing. The law tries to assess the damages according to certain principles.

The law asks: "What has the husband lost in hard cash? His housekeeper has gone: what is her work worth to him?" Or a husband is a cripple entirely dependent on his wife's nursing. The damages in that case would be very heavy.

But the husband has lost not only his housekeeper but the comfort and society of a wife—as the lawyers say, "her consortium." If, however, the wife is a baggage or a drunkard that "consortium" is obviously valueless. The husband is well rid of her to the luckless third person in the triangle.

And here comes a new point. Should anyone be responsible for damages but the breaker of the partnership? Is it fair to penalise a third person who is under no bond or obligation to the injured party?

Is it fair that the law should at all weigh the co-respondent's behaviour? The law asks: "Did he know that the respondent was married, and did he become acquainted with her through meeting her as her husband's guest in her own home?" If he did, the chances are that the damages would be higher.

The injury to the husband's feelings—for which he is also entitled to compensation—would, it is argued, be greater.

In both enticement and divorce cases the damages are calculated in much the same way. But is it a sane way?

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They Choose to Change

THIS squeezing of damages out of the co-respondent suggest that grown-up people nowadays can be enticed away from their partners as if they were children or half-wits.

Can they? I don't believe it. The average man when he leaves his wife knows what he's doing. The average woman isn't a Trilby, hypnotised away from sanity. Men and women leave their mates because they choose to change. They themselves break the partnership.

Compensation, then, for the break-up of a home or actual money losses seems reasonable. It seems less reasonable, however, for a husband to lament the loss of "expectations" of his wife's fortune, and absolutely inexplicable that he should claim compensation for damage to his pride and happiness.

To lose by death or to lose by change of heart is one of the risks

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FORMER BANK CLERK TELLS OF £15,000 GIFT MANSION

Mayfair Subscribes To Help Him "Bring Spiritualism To The Nobility"

By LINDON LAING

London, June 2.

MR. COLIN SIDNEY COLLEN-SMITH, former City bank clerk, talked to me yesterday in his £15,000 house off Belgrave-square, S.W., presented to him freehold and furnished by his wealthy and titled followers so that he can "bring Spiritualism to the nobility."

Mr. Collen-Smith, still only thirty-four, immaculate and monocled, told me that when he threw up his bank clerk's job he was "without a bob really, absolutely dependent on going round to my friends and getting dinners from them."

We sat in the splendidly appointed drawing room of his house, No. 13, Chesham-place, S.W., big enough for 140 people to meet, as he talked of his former "semi-squalor."

RED INDIAN

Mr. Collen-Smith, who "was awarded the degree of Doctor of Philosophy by a Chicago university for a thesis on psychology," is known to his followers as "The Leader." In the drawing room wealthy men and fashionable women meet him.

In the rooms downstairs I saw paintings of a feathered Red Indian chief and a Persian philosopher, "Tamara"—who died 1,500 years ago—clad in a yellow turban and purple robe, with thick strings of jewels around his neck.

"Tamara," said Mr. Collen-Smith, "is the chief inspiration of my movement, which I call 'The World Service Group.'"

Vice-presidents of the movement are listed in a brochure as the Viscount Selby, the Viscountess Selby, the Lord Lawrence, D.L., J.P., the Hon. M. Borthwick, Sir John Squire, Lady Wild, and Helen Viscountess Adare.

Mr. Collen-Smith said to me: "My father was a reader at the Cambridge University Press, and because of family finances I was unable to go on to the university. I worked as a bank clerk from 1922 to 1930.

"But I was told by a gipsy when I was only twelve that I was destined to be in Parliament. That is my aim.

TOLD BY CARDS

"On February 28, 1928, Lady Mary Dundas had tea with me. Oh, yes, while I worked in the bank I went about to Mayfair parties and things.

"Lady Mary told me I was psychic. I did not believe it. She said to me: 'In two years' time you will leave the City and be engaged in public work. It will have something to do with humanity.'

"Remember the date—February 28, 1928.

"Through a friend I met a clairvoyant. She told me about myself. She said I was engaged in material work which I did not really like—that I was destined to do other work. She told me—with cards—of a tall dark man I would meet.

"There was no jiggery-pokery about it. She was an honest woman, and would not accept a bean from me. 'You are destined for a great spiritual work,' she said.

"Then I met this dark man. He was a medium. We sat in the dark. There were several women there as usual. I thought 'Oh, this is going to be awful.'

"Then, through him, my father spoke to me. He had died six years before. He said, 'My boy, it has taken me six years to get to you.'

TURNING POINT

"I became convinced it is possible to communicate with the spirit world.

"Then came the turning point in my life. I was leading a materialistic life. It was all wrong. I left the City.

"The day I left was February 28, 1930. Remember the date?

"I was still just a clerk, earning less than £6 a week. I had less than £80 in my pocket when I left the City. Friends said I was crazy and would starve.

"One Sunday morning I was walking in Hyde Park—you know the crazy parade, you put on a silk hat and white spats when you haven't a bob in your pocket often—when a woman friend interested in psychic things invited me to a party. There I learned that I had psychic power.

"It frightens me really when I think about it, that power. I have done things that people would scarcely believe. I have cured cataract in four treatments. You would say it is impossible.

"I moved into a tiny flat off Bryanston-square, W.

"But all the time I was studying. I was spending every night, not at parties as before, but studying every text-book on medicine and psychology I could lay hands on.

"I began to give psychological treatments.

"In September 1930 I foresaw the death of the famous cricketer, J. W. H. T. Douglas, and his father. I saw that he was going down in a collision, in a fog, that he would be with his father, he would be drowned, and there would be no time for them to save themselves.

"Two months late, just before Christmas, I saw the newspaper posters announcing what I had foreseen.

'J. W. H. T. Douglas and his father were among the forty-four people drowned when the passenger steamer Oberon sank after a collision in fog off the coast of Denmark on December 20, 1930.'

"I was made a medium. Well-known people came to the seances. There were judges, barristers, politicians, all kinds of people.

—THEN TO MAYFAIR

"I was also doing psychological work. Instead of taking a long time over psycho-analysis, I could, by means of a clairvoyant picture, I have invented the name psycho-photo for my method, detect the original cause of the neurosis in a hundredth of the time usually taken.

"Then, at the end of 1932, I was told by 'the other side' to get out of my semi-squalid surroundings—I was still in my tiny flat—and go to Manchester-street, W., so that I would be in the area of the leading doctors, around Wimpole-street and Harley-street.

"I was promised that this would lead people to me.

"So I moved into Manchester-street and took consulting rooms at £160 a year on a five-year lease.

"By 1936 my income from psychological treatments had become fairly reasonable.

FOLLOWS THIRTEEN

"When I helped to found the 'World Service Group,' of which I am 'The Leader,' I was given that title on instructions from 'the other side.'

"We aim at world peace, abolition of capital punishment, social reform, education, and I want to take my spirit gifts into the Church.

"In December 1937 I moved into this house.

"The rich people in the group thought that I, as Leader, should live in a fitting place.

"They bought the house freehold. It is in my name. Here I am able to receive patients for consultations.

"Many titled people come to my meetings. I still carry on my practice as a psychologist. But my main aim in moving into the heart of Belgravia is to bring Spiritualism to the nobility.

"Mayfairites are the people who come to me now."

Mr. Collen-Smith told me his story with the clarity of the practised speaker. He explained how, in 1935, he wrote a thesis and was awarded the degree of Doctor of Philosophy by Roosevelt University, Chicago.

Stranger than the story of Mr. Collen-Smith's rise from bank clerk to Belgravia consultant is the contrast between my last glimpse of him, standing in the fine big hall, slim in Savile-row suit, and the picture between my last glimpse of 1,500 years ago ("I often see him," said Mr. Collen-Smith) and the Red Indian chief.

The number on the door was thirteen. "I always follow thirteen," said Mr. Collen-Smith.

A King's £510 For Rejuvenation

When James IV. of Scotland, at the age of 30, married the 14-year-old Margaret Tudor he paid an honorarium to the Countess of Surrey and her daughter, Lady Grey, to the value of £510 for having "clippit the Kingis berd."

This "costly attempt" at rejuvenation was mentioned by Professor John Read, of St. Andrews University, in a lecture on alchemy under James IV. of Scotland to the Society for the Study of Alchemy and Early Chemistry in London.

Describing the efforts of a certain John Damian, "an ingenious and personable Italian," to find a "quinta essencia" (elixir of life) for the King, Professor Read said that among the ingredients used for these experiments between 1501 and 1513 were gold quicksilver and "aqua vitae," in simpler language—whisky.

EMPIRE NEWS

RENEWED TROUBLE IN WAZIRISTAN

Calcutta.

The "effective steps" foreshadowed by the Government of India to deal with the Fakir of Ipi who is again stirring up trouble in Waziristan, has aroused critical comment.

It is pointed out that the frontier has been disturbed almost continuously for the past two years, and that twice it had been prematurely stated officially that peace had been restored.

On the other hand, the opinion is expressed that only major operations against the Fakir would be effective and would be less costly in the long run.

Surrendered After 16 Years' Acting on the advice of Mr. Gandhi, Sardar Prithvi Singh, who was convicted in the Lahore conspiracy case in 1915 and escaped from gaol in 1922, has surrendered. Mr. Gandhi, to whom the man revealed his secret, stated that since his escape Sardar had acted as a gymnastic instructor in Bombay schools. Before 1915 he spent some years in Canada.

CANADA

COMMUNISM IN THE SCHOOLS

Toronto.

The doctrines of Communism are finding their way into Canada's schoolrooms, although the teachers themselves receive their salaries from money collected under a capitalistic system of government, declared Col. George A. Drew, K.C., in an address here.

"We must assure freedom of speech," he said, "but the time has come to say in no uncertain terms that so long as Canada remains British and so long as Canada remains a democracy they must teach British democracy, or get out of the schools."

Even in the universities, he added, some professors were seeking to create class prejudice in a country where there was "hardly a man in a position of responsibility who did not start at the foot of the ladder."—*Reuter.*

AUSTRALIA

HUNT FOR UNKNOWN SPECIES OF FISH

Melbourne.

The fisheries research ship Warren, 132 tons, has been sent to Australian waters to look for unknown species of edible fish. The vessel is a floating laboratory, and carries tackle never before seen in this part of the world.

One special net cost £1,000. Delicate silk nets are carried to collect plankton, the minute forms of marine life on which fish feed.—*B.U.P.*

Burrinjuck Dam.—Mr. A. J. Gibson, of a Sydney engineering firm, and Mr. Brewster, chief engineer of the New South Wales Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission, are leaving Sydney for London to confer with a London firm on measures to be taken for the preservation of the Burrinjuck dam, the concrete walls of which are stated to be showing signs of deterioration.

SOUTH AFRICA

SIR J. ROBINSON FOR MONTE CARLO

Cape Town.

Sir Joseph Robinson, who was defeated as an Independent candidate in the South African General Election, sailed in the Athlone Castle for Europe. He intends to settle at Monte Carlo and to give up his big racing interests in South Africa.

£500,000 More for Miners.—An offer by the Transvaal Chamber of Mines to grant increased benefits totalling £500,000 has been accepted by the Joint Mining Trade Unions' delegation. The offer replaces the cost-of-living allowance originally asked for by the unions. Each miner will receive through a savings bank scheme £13 a year and juniors half that sum.

Dr. Ignatz Theodore Griebl, first lieutenant in the Medical Reserve, U. S. A., and former American Nazi leader, who disappeared from New York a few days before the Federal Grand Jury began hearing evidence in the nation's greatest peace-time spy hunt. Officials believed he had gone to Germany, beyond the reach of investigators.

Sex Offenders Will Be Treated In Special Institution

Sydney.

A SPECIAL institution for the treatment of sex offenders will be established, when a Bill prepared by the Minister for Justice (Mr. Martin) is passed by Parliament. The Bathurst gaol building will be used for this purpose.

Persons provided for will include the type of offender released on condition that he sought medical treatment for abnormal tendencies.

Men of normal mental capacity will not come under the proposed provisions for mental defectives (convicted persons) in the Bill, nor is it intended that it shall apply to men guilty of assaults on children.

Where medical treatment rather than punishment is desirable, it will be provided for, said Mr. Martin. Where a person is impelled by some organic defect not common to the community to commit an offence without having sufficient will power to resist he will be treated as a pathological and not as a criminal case.

Wherever possible such persons will be sent to a home for curative treatment. There the restraint placed upon them will be similar to that for mental cases, as an effort will be made to remove the disability from which they suffer.

MERCY PLEA FOR BOY LOVER

DONALD CARROLL, a 16-year-old schoolboy, has just been put on trial for his life in New York.

Two of the people most anxious for his acquittal are Mr. and Mrs. Matthieson, parents of 18-year-old Charlotte Matthieson, whom Carroll is alleged to have shot and killed in a suicidal pact he did not keep. Mr. and Mrs. Matthieson have declared that they want him to be freed.

They and Carroll's father and mother left the court together.

Carroll and the girl were in love with one another, but got the idea that their parents were opposed to their meeting. So, it is said, they planned a joint suicide.

Carroll bought a black tie and for Charlotte he bought a spray of artificial lilies of the valley.

Together they drew up a note, in Carroll's handwriting except for the second signature, reading:—

"Please bury us together. Please collect Charlotte's salary and my savings accounts and pay off: 1, Charlotte's department store bill: 2, Charlotte's dentist bill."

At the bottom of the paper, in the girl's handwriting, was written: "Dear Mother and Daddy, I love you both and I am sorry for this, but I love him more.—Charlotte."

After writing the notes, the boy and girl lay on the bed for almost an hour, discussing what they should do with the loaded revolver under the pillow. Then Carroll fired.

The police believe that he intended to carry out the suicide pact, but that his nerve failed.

TWO-MILE RAILROAD IS LOST OR STOLEN

Haverstraw, N.Y.

Lost or stolen: A railroad, two miles long. Police Chief John Spissinger discovered that two miles of track, which hadn't been used since 1933, had disappeared with 80,000 pounds of metal molds from five brickyards.

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12.00-12.20 p.m. Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.

12.30 J. H. Squire Celeste Octet And Nelson Eddy (Baritone).

Operatica (Famous Operatic Melodies—arr. J. H. Squire) ....J. H. Squire Celeste Octet; Tramp, Tramp, Tramp Along The Highway (From 'Naughty Marietta'); I'm Falling In Love With Someone (From 'Naughty Marietta')....Nelson Eddy; Narcissus (Nevin) ....J. H. Squire Celeste Octet; You Are Free (From the operetta "Apple Blossoms"); When I Grow Too Old To Dream (From 'The Night Is Young')....Nelson Eddy; Souvenir (Drdla, arr. Willoughby); Phantom Minuet (Hope)....J. H. Squire Celeste Octet.

1.00 Time and Weather.

1.03 Carroll Gibbons and His Boy Friends.

A Couple Of April Fools (Kennedy and Carr); If You Love Me (Ray Noble); Bubbling Over (Carroll Gibbons); Moonbeams Dance (Carroll Gibbons)....Piano Solo by Carroll Gibbons; Life Is Just A Bowl Of Cherries (Brown and Henderson); Sleepytime Down South (L. and O. Rene and Muse); Ain't She The Dainty (Theme Song 'Aunt Sally'—H. Woods); I Want A Fair And Square Man (Theme Song 'Aunt Sally'—H. Woods ....Piano Duet: Carroll Gibbons and John W. Green accomp. by Their Boy Friends; Tomorrow Is Another Day (From 'A Day At The Races').

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather and Announcements.

1.40 Gilbert and Sullivan Selections.

"The Pirates Of Penzance"; Oh, Men Of Dark And Dismal Fate .... George Baker and Full Chorus; You May Go, For You're At Liberty .... Full Company; Oh! Dry The Glist'ning Tear....Elsie Griffin and Chorus Of Girls; Then, Fred'ric, Let Your Escort, Lion-Hearted...George Baker and Derek Oldham; When The Foeman Bares His Steel....Leo Sheffield, Elsie Griffin, Nellie Briercliffe and Chorus.

1.56 Concert Waltzes.

Joys Of The Past (Schwartz); Sorrowful (Schwartz) ....Russian Novelty Orchestra; Broken Life (Arr. Schwartz); Tosca (Arr. Schwartz) ....Russian Novelty Orchestra; An Dich, (Waldteufel, Op. 150); Ich Liebe Dich (Waldteufel, Op. 177)....; Vienna Boheme Orchestra.

2.15 Close Down.

6.00 Relay of The Dance Orchestra from the Roof Garden of the Hongkong Hotel.

(a) Sweet as a Song; (b) Downtown Strutter's Ball; (c) Half Moon on the Hudson; (d) In Old Chicago.

6.14 Recorded:—Le Regiment Qui Passe (Sconoscinto); Aria Con Variazioni (Luigi Mozzani) ....Mario Maccaferri (Guitar Solo).

6.21 (a) Romance in the Dark;(b) How'd you like to love me; (c) Thanks for the memory; (d) Mama, that moon is here again.

6.35 Recorded:—Stars Over Devon (Flynn and Egan); Speak To Me Of Love (Lenoir) ....George Scott-Wood (Piano-Accordion Solo assisted by Guitar, Bass and Drums); Somebody's Wrong (Ursell) ....Ern Pettiffer (Clarinet Solo with Piano and Guitar).

6.44 (a) I'll never let you cry; (b) Vieni, Vieni; (c) Rosalie; (d) Big Chief Swing It.

7.00 Songs by Paul Robeson (Bass).

Old Folks At Home (Swanee River—Traditional, arr. Bruce); Poor Old Joe (Traditional); Roll Up Sailorman (From 'Big Fella').

7.10 Piano Selections.

Rondo In E Flat Major (Chopin—Op. 16)....Anatole Kitain (Piano Solo); Feux D'Artifice (Extrait Des "Prelude" 2e Livre—Debussy) .... Marcel Ciampi (Piano Solo); Hungarian Rhapsody No. 11 (Liszt) .... Marcel Ciampi (Piano Solo).

7.26 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

7.28 Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra.

Chorale—Prelude (Bach); Prelude In A Flat (Szostakowicz, trans. Stokowski); Tone-Poem "Finlandia"—Op. 26, No. 7 (Sibelius); Yablochko (Russian Sailors' Dance—from 'The Red Poppy Ballet'); Hungarian Dance No. 1; Tales From The Vienna Woods—Waltz (Johann Strauss); Blue Danube—Waltz.

8.00 Time, Weather and Announcements.

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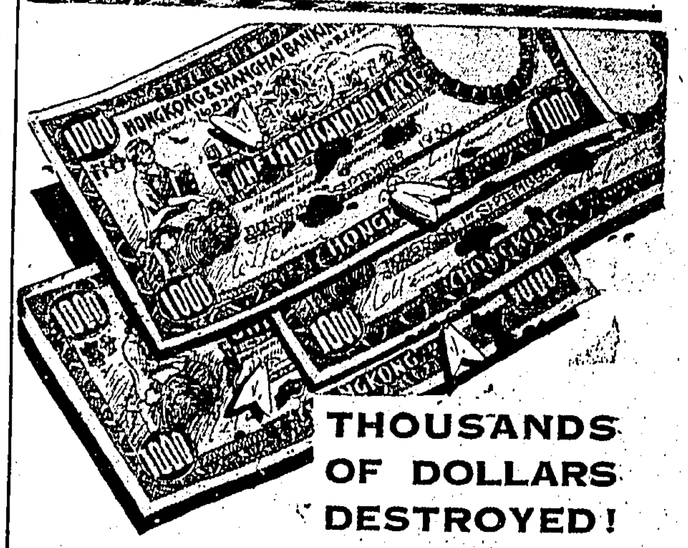

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THE NEW LIGHT BREW

EWO PILSNER

ONE MAJOR "CASUALTY" AT WIMBLEDON YESTERDAY

CHILEAN GIRL DEFEATED IN SECOND ROUND

MISS GEM HOAHING HAS A SUCCESSFUL DEBUT

The only major "casualty" at Wimbledon during the second day's play yesterday was the defeat of Senorita Anito Lizana of Chile, one of the eight "seeded" women players, in the second round of the singles. She suffered the same fate as she did last year at the hands of Madame Mathieu, the French champion, being beaten by 6-4, 6-4.

The Frenchwoman remained at the baseline throughout the encounter and returned everything deep, thus giving the Chilean girl few chances of exploiting her famous drop shot.

All the "seeded" women survived the first round. Mrs. Sperling won her tie against Mlle. Dovac, Miss Helen Jacobs beat Miss Mary Whitmarsh, Miss Scriven beat Miss Rita Jarvis, Mrs. Fabyan beat Fraulein Enger, Mlle. Jedrzejowska beat Miss Dorothy Stevenson, while Mrs. Helen Wills Moody drew a bye.

Miss Gem Hoahing, the Chinese girl, making her debut at Wimbledon, played like a veteran, displaying a forceful service and hard forehand drives. She forced Miss Middleton, her opponent, into errors and won the first set by 6-3. Miss Middleton speeded up her game in the second set, driving well on both wings, forcing the midget Chinese girl to run all over the court.

Miss Hoahing was outplayed in this set, but she came back strongly to take the final one with the loss of only one game.

CHINESE BEATEN

The Chinese men's doubles pair, W. C. Choy and J. H. Ho, were outplayed by the Yugoslav Davis Cuppers, Kukuljevic and Pallada, who won by 6-3, 6-3, 6-0.

Kukuljevic and Pallada proved a fine combination. The former's fast serving and the latter's smashing network were too good for the Chinese, who lacked combination. Choy was the better of the pair, serving hard and lobbing skilfully.

Kho Sin-kie, China's foremost player, in partnership with Lyttelton-Rogers of Ireland, beat M. D. Deloford and C. M. Jones, the young British pair, by 6-4, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3.

Donald Budge and Gene Mako, defending champions of the men's doubles, got through fairly comfortably at the expense of Borman and Geelhand of Belgium by 6-3, 6-4, 6-4. That veteran French combination, Jean Borotra and Jacques Brugnon, beat Cooper and Peters, of England, by 10-8, 6-1, 6-3.

H.R.H. The Duchess of Kent was among the spectators in the afternoon's matches.

Yesterday's Wimbledon Results

The following were the results of matches played at Wimbledon yesterday

WOMEN'S SINGLES

Mrs. Sperling (Denmark) beat Mlle. Hela Dovac (Yugoslavia) 6-1, 6-2.

Miss Helen Jacobs (America) beat Miss Mary Whitmarsh (England) 6-0, 6-1.

Miss Margaret Scriven (England) beat Miss Rita Jarvis (England) 6-2, 6-4.

Miss Dorothy Bundy (America) beat Miss Pamela Morrison (England) 6-2, 6-2.

Mrs. Sarah Palfrey Fabyan (America) beat Fraulein Giesela Enger (Germany) 6-1, 6-3.

Mlle. Jedrzejowska (Poland) beat Miss Dorothy Stevenson (Australia) 6-1, 3-6, 6-3.

Mrs. Helen Wills Moody (America) received a bye.

Miss Gem Hoahing (China) beat Miss Middleton (England) 6-3, 3-6, 6-1.

Miss Freda James (England) beat Miss Evelyn Dearman (England) 6-2, 8-6.

Miss Thelma Coyne (Australia) beat Miss Billie Yorke (England) 7-5, 6-1.

Miss Gracyn Wheeler (America) beat Miss C. M. Burrows (England) 6-3, 6-0

SECOND ROUND

Miss Alice Marble (America) beat Miss Mary Cootes (America) 6-0, 6-2.

Miss Kay Stammers (England) beat Mrs. Peggy Mitchell (England), 6-3, 6-2.

Madame Mathieu (France) beat Senorita Anita Lizana (Chile) 6-4, 6-4.

MEN'S DOUBLES

Anderson and Nelson (America) beat M. J. Condon (England) and L. E. J. King (Australia) 3-6, 6-0, 6-3, 6-2.

Edward Avory and Harold Lee (England) beat Bill Robertson (America) and Dr. Daniel Prenn (Germany) 6-2, 6-4, 6-4.

Don Budge and Gene Mako (America) beat Deborman and Geelhand (Belgium) 6-3, 6-4, 6-4.

Kukuljevic and Pallada (Yugoslavia) beat W. C. Choy and J. H. Ho (China) 6-3, 6-3, 6-4.

Kho Sin-kie (China) and Lyttelton-Rogers (Ireland) beat M. D. Deloford and C. M. Jones (England) 6-4, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3.

G. P. Hughes and F. H. D. Wilde (England) beat Kopfert and Koch (Germany) 6-0, 6-4, 6-2.

Eric Filby and Ronald Shayes (England) beat Etchart and Russell (Argentina) 6-4, 4-6, 8-6, 8-6.

Dallos and Szegetti (Hungary) beat Butler and Billington (England) 6-4, 3-6, 8-6, 6-3.

Jean Borotra and Jacques Brugnon (France) beat Cooper and Peters (England) 10-8, 6-1, 6-3.

Results are cabled by *Reuter* and *United Press*.

Mrs. A. M. Holm of Troon, seen holding the Cup after she had defeated Miss Corlett 4 and 3 in the final of British Women's Golf Championship at the Burnham and Berrow Golf Club, in Burnham, Somerset.

PHILLIPS KNOCKS OUT BEN FOORD

British Heavyweight Elimination Fight

London, June 21.

At Harringay to-night, the British heavyweight championship eliminator fight over 15 rounds between Eddie Phillips of Great Britain and Ben Foord, of South Africa, resulted in the former knocking out the latter in the ninth round.

The ending was an unexpected one. A right-hander to the solar plexus paralysed Foord from the waist downwards. Foord, however, was in complete possession of his faculties and vainly attempted to rise.

Later, Foord claimed that he had been hit on the groin.

A left and then a right floored Phillips in the first round, but the latter got up immediately. Foord continued on the offensive in the second round.

Phillips began to attack in the third, but a body-punch doubled him up. The referee spoke to Foord.

Phillips easily evaded Foord's swinging rights and dazed Foord with rights. He also used his left effectively.

In the ninth round, Foord again tried a "haymaker" right and as he passed Phillips' shoulder, the Londoner crashed home a right, which proved to be a knock-out blow.—*Reuter.*

JOE LOUIS DEFENDS HIS BOXING CROWN AGAINST SCHMELING TO-NIGHT

Champion Out For Revenge; German To Fight For His Fatherland

By Frank Breese

United Press Staff Correspondent

New York, June 21.

Max Schmeling of Germany, former heavyweight champion of the world, will attempt to regain his title to-morrow in a 15-round bout at the Yankee Stadium, New York, against Joe Louis, present holder of the heavyweight crown.

The fight has aroused greater interest among boxing fans of the world than any contest since the night, almost two years ago, when the German knocked out his Negro opponent in a spectacular battle in which Louis was the heavy favourite. Between 80,000 and 100,000 spectators are expected to witness to-morrow's bout.

When Schmeling climbs through the ropes, it will be more than a test of the ring skill of the two outstanding disputants for the championship. It will be a further test of the old axiom in boxing circles that heavyweight champions never come back. Since the inception of standardized boxing, no former heavyweight champion has ever regained the title.

Schmeling refuses to be influenced by that axiom, which has proved a mental handicap to others who have attempted to prove its fallacy. So determined is Schmeling to recover his lost title that some boxing experts believe this axiom may serve as a stimulus in his efforts. Schmeling views his chances from a practical standpoint, however. When critics point to the case of Jack Dempsey, who was regarded one of the best of all-time heavyweights and who was unsuccessful when he tried to regain his title from Gene Tunney, Schmeling answers that Dempsey was on the decline when he lost whereas he, Schmeling, is just at his peak.

Joe Louis
...he has a defeat to avenge.

SCHMELING'S LUCK

Jack Sharkey and Schmeling met in 1930 to fight for the title relinquished by Tunney when he retired. Schmeling won on a foul, but his reign was short-lived, for Sharkey captured the title from the German in 1932. When the majority of ring-goers had believed Schmeling's career was near its close, Schmeling came to the United States to take a pot-shot at Louis, who was then regarded the leading heavyweight but who had not yet been in a title match.

Louis was hailed as an invincible warrior, and fans were wagering as high as 20 to 1 that Schmeling would not stand up more than half a dozen rounds. The Teuton's spectacular knockout of Louis in the twelfth round not only stunned the pugilistic world but immediately gained Schmeling greater prestige than he had ever before enjoyed, even during his tenure as champion. His claim to the title on the Sharkey foul had been duly recognized, but his ability as a top-notch fighter was questioned.

Schmeling was eager to fight Champion James Braddock immediately after he had vanquished Louis, but he was never granted that opportunity. So, the title passed to Louis when the Negro knocked out Braddock a year later, in 1937. If Schmeling had fought Louis at that time, he would have been a heavy favourite to win back his title, for ring fans felt that Schmeling had demonstrated his superiority over Louis. Schmeling was as unsuccessful in getting an engagement with Louis as he was with Braddock, and a date for the Schmeling-Louis fight was not selected until last fall.

Since Louis' catastrophic defeat two years ago, there has been much activity in heavyweight circles, and Louis himself has accounted for much of that activity. He has scored eleven decisive victories, including knockouts over such opponents as Jack Sharkey, Jorge Brescia, Al Ettore, Nathan Mann and Harry Thomas, in addition to Braddock, from whom he took the title.

LOUIS FAVOURED

Meanwhile, Schmeling has had only three fights, all of which have been in the past six months. The records since 1936 have re-established Louis in the eyes of fight fans. Although, Schmeling still holds the respect of spectators, they are inclined to question a man's ability to keep his form when he has been comparatively inactive, competitively.

To-day both men are in trim shape for to-morrow's encounter after rigorous conditioning programmes in their training camps. Louis claims that he has devised a defensive system that will protect him from the assault-and-battery right hand that Schmeling used in flooring him. Further, he maintains that he has overcome the handicap of inexperience and that Schmeling "won't be fighting no amateur this time." Finally, he insists that he is in excellent physical condition.

Although Schmeling may not have the distinct advantage in experience that he had two years ago, he will have a slight edge, for his ring career extends back to a time long before Louis entered the amateur ranks. Although Max is nine years older than Louis, being 33 while Louis just turned 24 on May 13, Schmeling insists that he has never been in better shape in all his life, and he prides himself in his clean living and sincere training.

Even the personnel in to-morrow's encounter, because of its very incongruity, is sufficient to arouse interest

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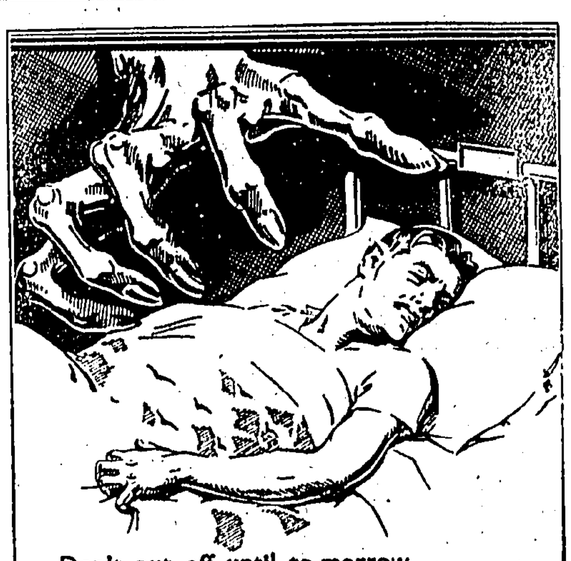

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BEWARE OF IT SPREADING

Often the disease travels all over the bottom of the feet. The soles of your feet become red and swollen. The skin also cracks and peels, and the itching becomes worse and worse.

Get rid of this disease as quickly as possible, because it is very contagious and it may go to your hands or even to the under arm or crotch of the legs.

Most people who have Athlete's Foot have tried all kinds of remedies to cure it without success. Ordinary germicides, antiseptics, salve or ointments seldom do any good.

HERE'S HOW TO TREAT IT

The germ that causes the disease is known as Tinea Trichophyton. It buries itself deep in the tissues of the skin and is very hard to kill. A test made shows it takes 15 minutes of boiling to kill the germ; so you can see why ordinary remedies are unsuccessful.

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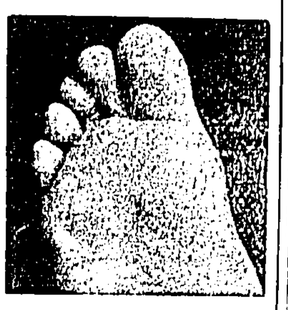

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NO EX-CHAMPION HAS REGAINED HIS CROWN

Max Schmeling Out To Set A Precedent

IF Max Schmeling can beat Joe Louis in their heavyweight title bout at Madison Square Garden to-night, he will have accomplished a remarkable feat; for legend has it that once he has been deposed from his throne, no heavyweight boxer has yet been able to find his way back. And Schmeling, of course, is a former champion; he won the title on a foul from Jack Sharkey in 1930. But the German boxer is a most unusual man. At 33, when most boxers give up all ideas of fighting, he is still right on top of the ladder trying to regain his crown. Still, Dempsey was unusual to the point of being unique and even he was unable to come back against Tunney in Chicago. Romanticists believe that a curse hovers over all former heavyweight champions. One may laugh, one may sneer at such superstition, but never since boxing was systemised has an ex-champion in the heavyweight class been able to fight his way back to the crown once he has relinquished it. Fate and destiny have hardly been with Schmeling in his long fight back to pre-eminence; but to-night he will have his big chance. Will he succeed? If it is true that a curse hangs over all ex-champions, he will probably lose. That has been the way of it with ex-champions of the past. Braddock recently tried a brief come-back, but got no further than his victory over Tommy Farr. And before that, there was Willard who got all the way up to Firpo when he suddenly lost further interest, and Corbett with Jeffries, Fitzsimmons with Jeffries and even Jeffries with Jack Johnson. Of the long list, in fact, only three former title-holders, including Gene Tunney and Sullivan, had the great good sense to withdraw from circulation and stay there. The other was Johnson and he just could not help himself. He was in gaol.

Ten Per Cent. Goes To Refugees

New York, June 21

Ten per cent. of the net proceeds of the Louis-Schmeling fight here to-morrow night will be donated to international fund for the aid of political refugees Mike Jacobs, promoter of the title bout, said he would guarantee at least $7,500.

Jacobs' move aroused more than ordinary interest due to the fact that there is a boycott campaign, led by Jewish interests, against the fight on the grounds of Schmeling's German citizenship. Any donation to the international fund would be of benefit to Jews in Germany and Austria. —*United Press*

Honour For Kho

KHO SIN-KIE, China's foremost tennis star, continues to make history. Recently he beat "Bunny" Austin to win the Bournemouth hardcourt championship, being the first Chinese to win the title. Now at Wimbledon he has earned further honours by being "seeded" by the Wimbledon authorities. He is believed to be the first Chinese to have achieved this distinction. On Monday in the first round of the men's singles he defeated H. A. Hare—not Charles Hare as reported elsewhere—in straight sets. The eight "seeded" competitors are Donald Budge (holder), "Bunny" Austin (Great Britain), Roderick Menzel (Czechoslovakia), Henner Henkel (Germany), F. Puncec (Yugoslavia), D. Mitic (Yugoslavia), Ladislaus Hecht (Czechoslovakia), and Kho Sin-kie (China).

The seeded women players are Mrs. Helen Wills Moody (America), Miss Alice Marble (America), Mrs. Sarah Palfrey Fabyan (America), Mlle. Jedzrejowska (Poland), Mrs. Svend Sperling (Denmark), Miss Kay Stammers (Great Britain), Miss Margaret Scriven (Great Britain) and Madame Mathieu (France).

WALLY HAMMOND SCORES CENTURY IN EACH INNINGS

London, June 21.

Several brilliant individual performances were recorded in the County Cricket Championship programme which concluded to-day. Walter Hammond, the England Test captain, was in magnificent form while batting for Gloucestershire against Derbyshire, scoring a century in each innings. He has thus equalled the record set up by Jack Hobbs of doing so six times.

In spite of Hammond's effort, Gloucester lost points on first innings.

Bill Voce gave a glimpse of his old form while bowling for Nottinghamshire against Kent. In Kent's second innings, he took five wickets for 62 runs, including four wickets with five balls.

Don Bradman, the Australian Test captain, hit up a century against Lancashire in 73 minutes. This is the fastest century of the present season, beating that of C. W. Packe, the Cambridge batsman, by two minutes.

LANCASHIRE v. AUSTRALIANS

At Manchester, the match between Lancashire and the Australians was drawn.

Australians.—303 (A. L. Hassett 118, Phillipson five for 93), and 284 for 2 declared (J. H. Fingleton 90, W. A. Brown 70, Don Bradman 101 not out); Lancashire 289 and 80 for 3.

Bradman hit 15 boundaries in his innings.

SUSSEX v. WORCESTER

At Worthing, Sussex defeated Worcester by six wickets.

Worcester.—168 (Hammond 5 for 52) and 375 (Gibbons 118, Wood 6 for 99); Sussex 330 (C. Oakes 148 not out, Perks 6 for 114) and 208 for 4.

ESSEX v. MIDDLESEX

At Chelmsford, Middlesex defeated Essex by one wicket.

Essex.—300 (D. R. Wilcox 91, Jim Smith 5 for 84) and 221 (Peter Smith 101); Middlesex 281 (Nichols 6 for 116) and 241 for nine (Compton 87 not out, Edrich 58, Peter Smith 8 for 99).

GLAMORGAN v. CAMBRIDGE

At Swansea, the match between Glamorgan and Cambridge University was drawn.

Glamorgan.—388 (Dyson 117) and 334 for 8 declared (E. Jones 132); Cambridge 336 (J. D. A. Langley 119) and 288 for 4 (P. A. Gibb 133).

M.C.C. v. OXFORD

At Lord's, Oxford University defeated the M.C.C. by nine wickets.

M.C.C.—387 and 199 for 9 declared; Oxford 307 (J. M. Lomas 97) and 280 for one (Walford 201 not out and Lomas 50).

NOTTS v. KENT

At Nottingham Notts defeated Kent by seven wickets.

Kent.—314 and 214 (Voce 5 for 62, including four wickets with five balls); Notts 352 (Harris 113) and 180 for 3.

DERBY v. GLOUCESTER

At Burton-on-Trent, Derbyshire took points on first innings from Gloucestershire.

Gloucestershire.—287 (W. R. Hammond 110, Copson 5 for 75) and 294 (Hammond 123, thus equalling Jack Hobbs' record of scoring a century in each innings six times); Derbyshire, 415 (Smith 113, Sinfield 5 for 113) and 2 for 0.

LEICESTER v. HAMPSHIRE

At Leicester, Leicestershire took points on first innings from Hampshire.

Hampshire.—342 (Holt 116) and 231 for 2; Leicester 535 for eight (Geary 100 not out, Armstrong 123). —*Reuter.*

ALL READY FOR BIG FIGHT

Schemling And Louis Both Confident

New York, June 21.

The 15-round heavyweight title fight between Joe Louis (holder) and Max Schmeling (challenger) will take place at the open-air Yankee Stadium to-morrow evening.

Both men are confident of winning. Schmeling has a new punch, a sharp right uppercut to the heart, but Louis thinks the fight will not last more than a few founds.

Jack Doyle, leading American bookmaker, stated that the biggest betting in fight history is being made on this bout.

Louis is at present 17-10 favourite to win.

Latest ticket sales now value £140,000. £10 ring-side seats have been exhausted, as will be the 10,000 unreserved seats priced at 17s. 6d. available before the fight.

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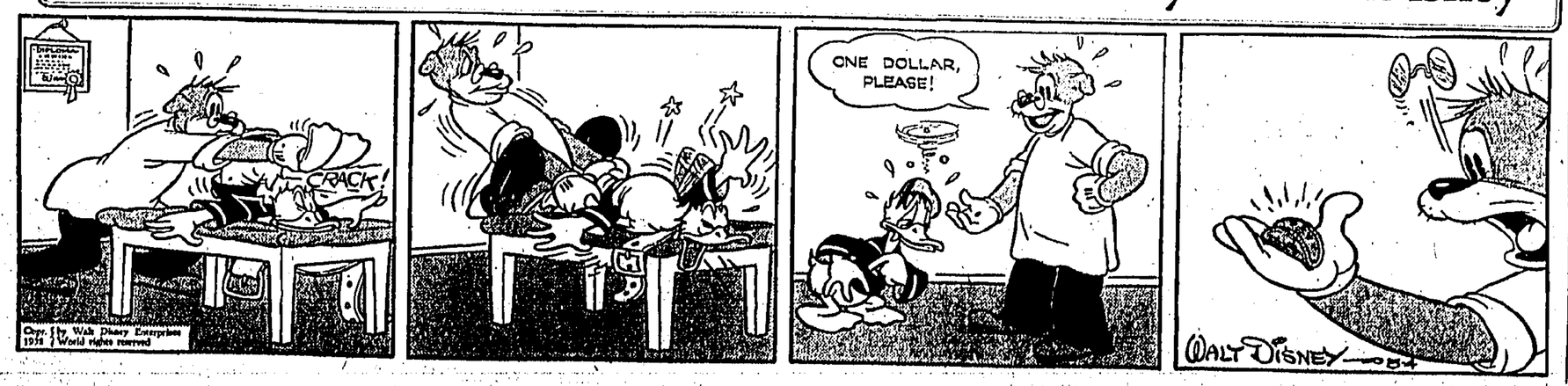

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

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NEXT: Why is a curve-ball baseball pitcher less effective in Denver?

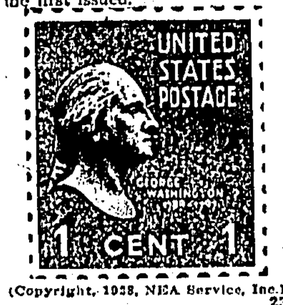
STORIES IN STAMPS

Heads "Presidential" Stamp Series

LONG awaited in philatelic circles, the new U. S. "Presidential Series" of postage makes its bow with the striking 1-cent George Washington stamp reproduced here slightly more than one and one-half times actual size.

Printed in green ink, in sheets of 100 by rotary process, the stamp is 0.75 by 0.87 inches, with a flat background and without border. It was designed by Miss Elaine Rawlinson of New York City, winner of a nationwide contest conducted several months ago by the Treasury Department. Very likely the same motif will be employed throughout the entire issue of 32 stamps in this new series.

First stamp of the series numerically will be the Franklin ½ cent. Martha Washington will appear on the 1½ cent, and the White House will be shown on a 4½-cent adhesive. With these exceptions the series, to take the place of the 1922 regular values, will portray all deceased Presidents, many of whom never before were honored on U. S. postage. The Washington stamp is the first issued.



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On WPA, Wants Congress Seat

Running for a seat in Congress is Lawrence Smith of St. Louis, above, who works for WPA and supports a wife and two children on $50 a month. Seeking the post now occupied by Thomas C. Hennings, Jr., a Democrat, Smith says there would be some changes made in WPA if he were elected. He's counting on votes from 20,000 fellow WPA workers in St. Louis.

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WHAT HAS HAPPENED BEFORE

Young Bill Jordan accidentally kills a man in a night club brawl on his twenty-first birthday. District Attorney Mathews, who sympathizes with the boy, allows him to plead guilty to manslaughter instead of trying him for murder. Bill is sentenced to ten years in the state penitentiary... Six years later Bill, who has been assigned to the prison jute mill, is a hardened, embittered prisoner. Mathews, who is being groomed to run for Governor of the state, is appointed warden of the prison. On the day he arrives with his sister and beautiful daughter, Elizabeth, to take over his new job the prisoners greet him with a rebellious demonstration of yammering. Alone and unafraid, Mathews walks into the prison yard and faces the men down. Later, Bill collapses at the jute mill. The prison doctor recommends a change of work and environment for him. Warden Mathews summons him to the office and recognizes Bill as the boy he sent up six years before. While he's in the office Bill sees Mathews' daughter, Elizabeth, and falls in love with her immediately. Mathews makes Bill his chauffeur. Three months on this job works a miracle on Bill. He has regained his spirit and his hopes for the future and he is deeply in love with Elizabeth. Mathews is quietly working to get a pardon for Bill when there is a prison break. One of the convicts squeals and another man is killed. Mathews transfers the terrified squealer to his office for safety and he sends Elizabeth away until things grow quieter at the prison. Bill drives her to the station and, saying goodbye to her, all but blurts out his love.

"You've gotta do something. You've gotta save me!"

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

Chapter Four

When Bill returned to the prison from the railroad station he reported to Warden Mathews. Mathews and Captain Grady were standing at the window, watching the prisoners in the yard.

"There's trouble brewing down there, sir," Grady said. "Those men are altogether too quiet. No talking, no laughing."

"Well, if you're worried, call out the night detail and post extra guards at the gate leading up here. If they're after Runch they'll head this way."

The quiet in the yard was shattered when the prisoners began their "yammering." En masse they began to move menacingly toward the administration building. Grady ran for the door and down the stairs. Mathews went over to the window and Bill joined him there. Another door flew open and Runch came in. His face was ashen and he was trembling so he could barely walk.

"They're coming after me!" he cried hysterically. "Do something! Save me! Get me out of here!"

Mathews turned from the window. "Shut up!" he commanded. "Nothing can happen to you here. There are eight feet of stone and steel between you and the outside." One of the prison guards rushed into the office. "Captain Grady wants you at the gate at once, sir," he said.

Mathews started for the door. "Bill," he said, "you stay here with Runch. Don't leave this room."

When he had gone Runch came over to Bill at the window. "What is it?" he asked. "Why are they yammering like that?"

Bill shrugged. "I dunno," he said. "Probably a fight."

"Please, Bill," Runch pleaded, "go find out what it's all about."

"I can't," Bill said. "The warden told me to stay here."

"Just go down to the door, Bill," Runch went on. "You might hear something. I gotta know! I can't stand it!"

Bill turned and looked scornfully at the craven snitcher. "Okay," he said. "Anything to shut up your snivveling." He left the office and went down the stairs. The guards at the door were having all they could do to hold back the mob. Captain Grady saw Bill and turned to him. "Get back upstairs!" he ordered.

Bill turned and went back upstairs. In the upper hallway he bumped into Hawkins, one of his cellmates, coming out of the warden's office. Hawkins stared at him in amazement.

"Get out of here, you fool!" he whispered. "Don't let them find you here. Beat it!"

"I can't, Jack," Bill replied. "The warden told me — "

"You sap!" Hawkins went on. "You would have to get into this." There was a sound below stairs and Hawkins turned and disappeared through a door into the warden's living quarters.

Bill was standing there when Mathews and Captain Grady came up the stairs. "I thought I told you to stay with Runch," Mathews said.

"I know, sir, but he asked me to — "

Mathews pushed past Bill and went into the office. Runch was sprawled by the window, stabbed to death.

Mathews turned to Bill. "You didn't do this, did you, Bill?"

"N — no, sir," Bill stammered. "I just told you — Runch asked me to — "

Solitary Confinement

"Never mind that now," Mathews snapped. "Who did it?"

"I don't know, sir," Bill said.

Mathews looked at Bill intently. "You're lying, son," he said calmly. "You're lying to shield the murderer."

Bill's eyes shifted from Mathews' face. "Maybe I am, sir," he said, "but I can't squeal — not even for you, sir."

"Bill," Mathews pleaded, "you can't do this. Look, your parole's due here any day now. Do you want to sacrifice that? Do you know what will happen if you don't talk? It'll mean ten to twenty years more for you."

"I didn't kill him," Bill insisted stubbornly.

"All your time for good behavior — that'll be taken away from you," Mathews said. "You'll have to go back to the jute mill — "

Bill's face paled but his jaw still set stubbornly. "I'm sorry, sir," he said. "I can't tell you anything."

Mathews looked at him sorrowfully and sighed. Captain Grady interrupted. "A week in solitary is what he needs," Grady said. "Then he'll talk."

"All right, Grady," the warden said. "I guess you'll have to do it."

The week after the murder was not as easy one for Warden Mathews. While Bill languished on bread and water in solitary confinement, Mathews strove vainly to find the Runch killer. To add to his troubles the prosecuting attorney of the county harassed him incessantly to turn Bill over to the county authorities. When Elizabeth returned from her trip she found a sorely tired father to greet her.

Briefly he told her what had happened. "Where is Bill?" she asked.

"In solitary," he said. "I put him there to shield him until I could break this case but I'm afraid it's useless."

Tears welled into Elizabeth's eyes. "Dad, you've got to help him," she pleaded.

Mathews exploded. "Help him!" he cried. "I haven't slept for a week! Why? Because I've tried to help him. But he won't let me. I'm washed up. I'm through! He'll have to take what's coming to him."

"You can't do that to Bill, Daddy," Elizabeth said softly.

In the midst of his tirade Mathews turned to look at her curiously. "What's the matter, honey?" he asked. "What are you driving at?"

Elizabeth was silent.

"Come on," Mathews urged. "Let's get down to cases, sweetheart. What's up?"

Elizabeth wiped the tears from her eyes and looked squarely at her father.

"I love him, Dad," she said simply.

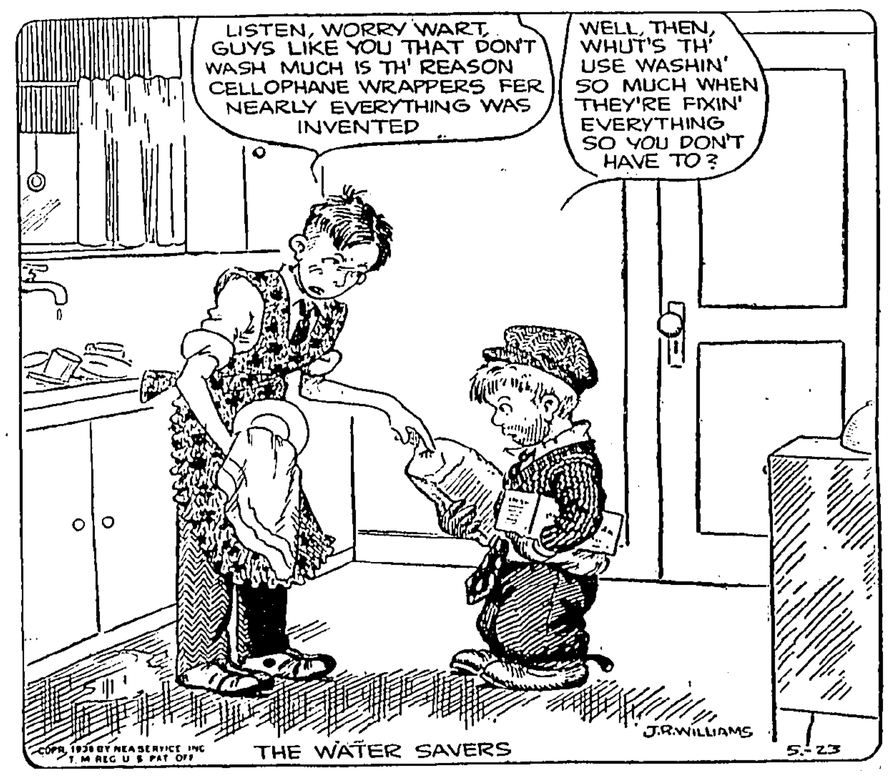
(To be Continued.)

HOW IT BEGAN

By Paul F. Berdanier

FALL FOR IT

IN THE 19TH CENTURY, A PERSON WHO SUCCUMBED TO A WILY SALES TALK WAS SAID TO "FALL DOWN" (AN ALLUSION TO HIS INABILITY TO STAND UP IN RESISTANCE). EVENTUALLY THIS WAS CHANGED, BY USAGE TO "FALL FOR IT," AND AS SUCH SURVIVES.



BARBS

THE King of Cambodia has just sent half of his 200 wives back to mother. Wants to try "baching" it again.

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What's the use of science, anyway? An apple tree has just been made to grow roses, but the apples still have cores, and the roses, thorns.

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An officer of the Army's air force wants to name planes after Indians. But who's going to trust his life to a ship named "Sitting Bull"?

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A barber in St. Louis announces that combing the hair pompadour makes a man bald. So, you see, once your hair has gone away, it won't do any good to try to comb it back.

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"Soldier from Berlin, Girl from Vienna," is the title of a new German song-hit. What, no ". . . Minister from Czechoslovakia" yet?

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10.—No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.

11.—Entries in the Children's Section must bear the entrant's name, age and address on the entry form, counter signed by a parent.

12.—Members of the Staffs of the *Hongkong Telegraph* and the *South China Morning Post* are not permitted to compete.

13.—The decisions of the Judges shall be final.

14.—At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at the *Telegraph* offices within seven days.

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NAME .....

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Government House Work Not Started

Won't Be In Hand Until Next Year

Though no definite plans have yet been formulated, it is probable that when the new Government House is completed the building at present in use will be utilised as Government offices while the new building to house Government departments, the City Hall and possibly a Library and Museum, is being constructed.

At present consideration is being given to the preparation of plans for the new Government House, which will probably be built on the site proposed at Magazine Gap, to which a road has already been completed. Work on the new building, should present proposals be confirmed, will begin about the middle of 1939, and should take about three years to complete. It was incorrectly stated yesterday that the work was already in hand.

By the time the new building is ready, the further work included in the proposals for a new set of Government offices and a City Hall should be ready to begin, and the building at present being used as Government House would then be available to house temporarily the Colonial Secretariat, the Public Works Department and other Government offices.

The new Government offices block may be built in the form of a main block and two wings, one wing housing a City Hall and the other a Library and Museum. Plans for this building, however, are not yet even under consideration, since the new Government House in itself still under consideration, and only a preliminary contour survey has been made of the Magazine Gap site.

WHAT IS A WIFE WORTH?

(Continued from Page 6.)

of life. You can insure against the loss of a limb, but I have never yet met any spiritual form of insurance against loss of love.

There is no compensation possible, except the primitive compensation of vengeance. And as a man nowadays does not stab his wife's lover through the heart I suppose it is possible to get a minor relief by stabbing him through the pocket.

But English law has little sympathy with the desire of vengeance. The late Lord Birkenhead, in 1925, wrote: "The object of giving damages in divorce cases is not, in the view of the law, punitive."

And Lord Merrivale, in 1932, warned a jury that it "has not to say: 'We will fix some exemplary figure that will be a warning.'" That is not the jury's business at all." On the other hand, Lord Merrivale included in the catalogue of the petitioner's losses "the injury to his feelings and to his pride."

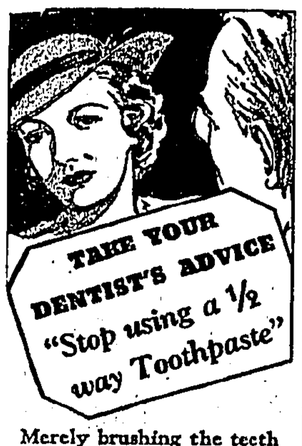
Time to Stop It?

ISN'T it time that feelings became a little more delicate, and pride a little prouder? Isn't it time that we stopped asking a jury to put an auctioneer's value on a human being and a prostitute's value on love?

Won't it one day be possible to drop the whole business of damages and work out the consequences of a marriage breach on strictly business lines, letting the expenses of the divorce include a sum that compensates either partner for actual money losses?

No one could object to that as unjust.

But let us leave questions of love, grief, loneliness, and heartbreak out of court. Spiritual wrongs cannot be awarded material damages. The attempt to do so be-littles alike the dignity of justice and the marriage state.



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†*BANGALORE	6,000	13th Aug.	B'bay, M'seilles, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'burg, R'dam & A'werp.
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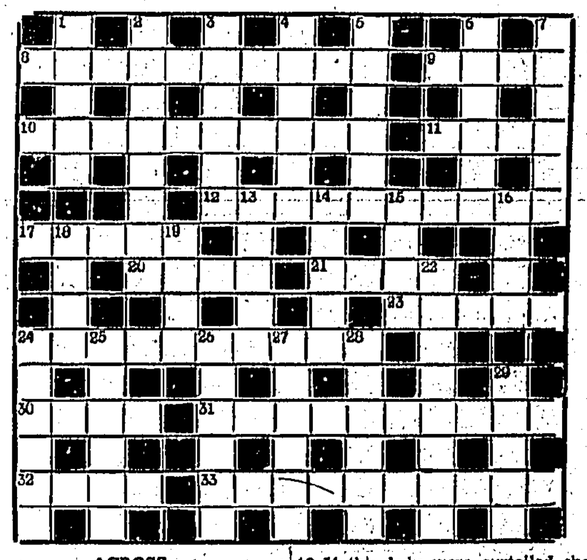

ACROSS

8 It leaves a bad taste in the mouth (two words—6, 4).
9 Wise man of the East (4).
10 The bay colour method gives a cloister (two words—7, 3).
11 This nosey parker is a source of irritation (4).
12 Saying quite clever—much beyond the ordinary, in fact (10).
17 One cannot accept this advice without a change of face (5).
20 He is made by many more than the ordinary listener (4).
21 Sound reason, nowadays, for pulling up on the road (4).
23 Possession of this must have given an early Baron a distinct pull (5).
24 A depressing companion when camping in inclement weather (two words—3, 7).
30 There was only one famous M.P. in this famous Parliament (4).
31 Disappointing reply to a customer, from a flower apparently (three words—3, 2, 5).
32 Should the up-keep of this be included in overhead expenses? (4).
33 Miners live to make this source of wealth (two words—6, 4).

DOWN

1 Is this animal one of male twins? (5).
2 Do cattle travel thus on the sea? (8).
3 One cannot be in this and up to date as well (6).
4 Shelter for the brave (6).
5 No gentleman at the wicket! (6).
6 Fraternise (6).
7 Whereon proceeding is furtive (6).
13 If this lady were curtailed she would become French (5).
14 Fish (5).
15 This philosopher could make a machine of war (4).
16 This is mixed in 33 across (4).
18 Fit end to 12 across (4).
19 Sounds like part of a house, but there may be a catch in it (4).
22 The thing to have on holiday, and in which is early (two words 4, 4).
24 Vocal defiance (6).
25 She should really have been her second half (6).
26 Stir from our sea (6).
27 It only sings when it's warm (6).
28 Put off in golfing term—it's sweet (6).
29 This kind of food would alter its shape if beheaded (5).

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

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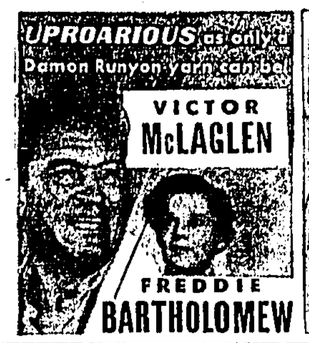
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The next two ships of the class, the largest and most heavily armed destroyers yet built for the Navy, will probably be on view to the public during Navy Week (July 30-August 6), the Mohawk at Portsmouth and the Zulu at Devonport.

The new fleet tug Bandit, completed by Fleming and Ferguson, Limited, Paisley, last month, has been commissioned with a temporary crew under the command of Lieutenant R. H. Johnson, at Chatham, and will leave for Portland. Here the crew of the St. Cyrus will transfer to her and the Bandit will take the place of that ship in the Fleet Target Service. The temporary crew of the Bandit will steam the St. Cyrus to Portsmouth where she is to become a tender to the Signal School.

THE ARMY

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The reorganization of certain commands in India will take effect during October and November, when the number of commands will be reduced to three and the number of districts will be increased by one. The place of the Western Command, with its G.O.C.-in-Chief and H.Q. Staff, will be taken by a Western District under a major-general with H.Q. at Quetta. The change is an economical one, for there is no need for two G.Os.C.-in-Chief in the North-West of India.

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The following officers and airmen passed the examinations for interpretership held at the various centres in January:

Arabic.—Second Class.—Squadron Leader J. P. Domville, M.B.E., Flight Lieutenants M. W. L'T. La V. Baker, and C. G. Lott; Flight Lieutenant D. V. Johnson (requalification).

French.—First Class.—Flight Lieutenant A. M. de Lavison; Aircraftmen T. A. Carroll and G. Godbout; Group Captain G. S. M. Insall, V.C., M.C. (requalification). Second Class.—Flight Lieutenants F. D. Terdrey, R. L. Wallace, and P. H. Wilcox; Flying Officer L. Vincent; Pilot Officers J. C. Boulter and L. J. Fry; Acting Pilot Officer G. G. Avis; Sergeant G. W. Jordan; Aircraftmen T. W. Tinter and B. H. Mooney; Squadron Leader R. R. Greenlaw and Flight Lieutenant C. Ryley (requalifications).

German.—Second Class.—Pilot Officers J. C. Boulter and D. Parker; Aircraftman C. P. Russell.

Italian.—First Class.—Flight Lieut. J. R. A. Embling; Wing Commander F. M. F. West, V.C., M.C. (requalification).

Russian.—First Class—Flight Lieut. G. E. Valentine; Wing Commander A. C. Collier (requalification). Second Class.—Pilot Officer A. A. Devany (since deceased).

Spanish.—First Class.—Acting Pilot Officer N. C. S. Riddell; Group Captain C. R. Cox, O.B.E., A.F.C. (requalification). Second Class.—Flight Lieutenant C. J. Lewin, R.A.F.O.; Flying Officer L. Vincent, and Pilot Officer E. W. Bundock.

NEW BOMBING RANGE

A high-altitude live and practice bombing range will become available for general use during July at Wainfleet Sands, Lincs. About a dozen ranges of this type are being provided in various parts of the country for the instruction of pilots and bomb-aimers in attacking from heights above those usual at the ordinary armament training stations.

The range and range party at Wainfleet will be administered by No. 1 Air Observers' School, North Coates, Grimsby, from July 1 to September 1, when the administration will be transferred to No. 1 Air Armament School, which by then will have been moved from Eastchurch to the new station at Manby, Louth. No local landing-ground is being provided in connexion with the range. Facilities will be available for the use of the range by day and night at all times.

PROMOTION TO SQUADRON LEADER

The promotion of 40 more flight lieutenants to squadron leader from June 1 has increased the total of this rank to over 730, or more than double what it was—340—at the start of the expansion scheme in 1935. The extent to which advancement has been speeded up may be judged by the fact that the average time served as flight lieutenant has been reduced by more than one-half. Officers were formerly required to serve at least five years in the rank before being promoted, and in practice the period was much longer. With effect from June 1, 1937, the minimum qualifying period was reduced from five years to three, and a large number of advancements have since been made at the lower limit.

The Air Council have had under consideration the scheme for the selection, training, and qualification of air observers adopted in 1934, and have decided to make certain modifications in view of the greatly increased requirements under the accelerated expansion programme. The changes are of a temporary nature and will be subject to review from time to time. The field of selection will be increased by reducing from four to three years the minimum period of service before recommendation for training, and by rendering fitters (aero-engine) and metal riggers eligible for selection. Men must be suitable for re-engagement and must have completed not more than 12 years' service.

EXTENSION OF AIRMEN'S SERVICE

Because of the further expansion recently sanctioned the Air Council has decided that further re-engagements can be effected without departing from the principles laid down in 1932. All airmen, except those specially enlisted for four years' regular service, who have completed or are due to complete 12 years' service by March 31, 1942, will be considered for these additional re-engagements.

It is announced in Air Ministry Orders that "service" candidature for the entry of aircraft apprentices is no longer confined to the sons of those members of the R.A.F. who hold the rank of sergeant or above. A candidate, nominated to sit for the examination, whose father is serving in the R.A.F. may be permitted by the Air Council to sit as a "service" candidate. Such candidates will be required to reach a qualifying standard only in the examination.

The Air Ministry announces that in order to meet the increased requirements of the Royal Air Force a substantial number of boys of school certificate or approximately equivalent educational standard will be required to fill vacancies for apprentice clerks which will occur in July. Candidates are required to be not less than 15½ and not more than 17¼ on July 1 next.

STOP PRESS

Severe Quake Recorded In Central Asia

Hamburg, June 21.

Shortly after midnight yesterday morning a severe earthquake was recorded by the instruments of the Hamburg Seismographical Station.

The epicentre of the distrubance was approximately 3,125 miles east of Hamburg, indicating that the quake occurred somewhere in the mountainous zone of Central Asia.—*Trans-Ocean.*

An official of the Hongkong Royal Observatory informed the *Telegraph* that shocks were recorded at intervals throughout the day on Monday. The shocks were too far distant for their epicentre to be determined in Hongkong.

Japanese Try To Pierce Boom Defence

Several Japanese warships succeeded yesterday in making their way up the Yangtse to within a short distance of the boom thrown across the river at Matang.

Several hundred Japanese troops were landed on both banks of the river with the object of attacking the Chinese defending the boom.

Fierce fighting is also reported to be in progress north of Matang.—*Trans-Ocean.*

CHINESE CHECK ATTACKERS

Hankow, June 22.

Heavy movements of Japanese troops and supplies along the Tientsin-Pukow railway from Hsuchow to Nanking are apparently being made by the Japanese for the forthcoming operations in the Yangtse area.

Meanwhile, Japanese forces in western Anhwei are launching their main attack on Taihu, south-west of Chienshan. The Chinese forces have evacuated Chienshan and are now holding positions in the hills between that city and Taihu.

One Japanese detachment advancing along the highway appeared at a point 30 miles from Taihu but was repulsed, according to a Chinese military *communique* which says that Chinese reinforcements have already arrived in the Taihu sector.

The Chinese are now launching a counter-attack on the Japanese at Chienshan.—*Reuter.*

SEVERE METHODS TO SUPPRESS JEWISH ACTIVITY

Berlin, June 21.

Dr. Josef Goebbels, Reich Minister for Propaganda and Public Enlightenment, announced to-day that severe methods would be adopted in the near future to suppress all Jewish business activities in Germany.—*Reuter.*

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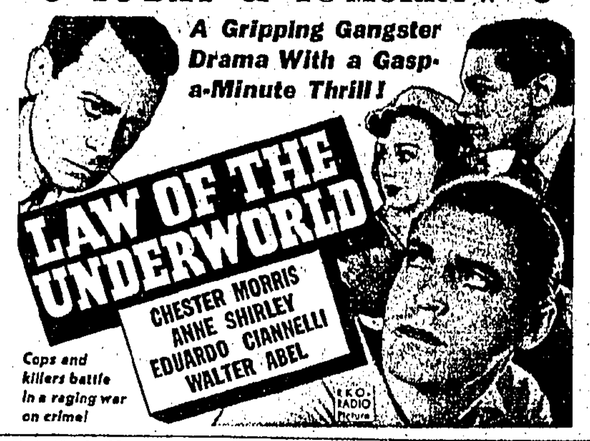
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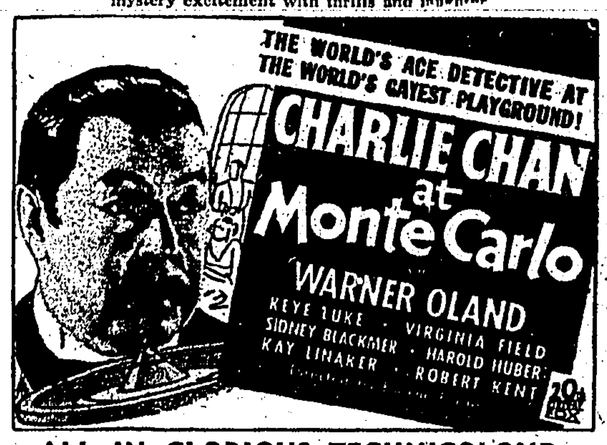

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TOKYO PRESS CLAIMS RUSSIA REVIEWING HER POLICY IN CHINA

Tokyo, June 21.

The *Miyako Shimbun*, commenting on the fact that M. Troyanousky, Soviet Ambassador to the United States, and M. Ivan Maisky, Soviet Ambassador to Britain, were both in Moscow at present, predicts that a conference between the two diplomats will "decide the future policy of the Soviet to China."

The question to be discussed will be whether to extend vigorous military assistance to China or suspend further assistance in view of the "Soviet's internal conditions and the series of military reverses suffered by China."

The paper alleges that the "Soviet foothold in the Far East, which is formed on a basis of a pro-Soviet world policy, is being steadily circumscribed by the successful drive of the Japanese forces."

The paper says that the Japanese capture of Hankow, which is imminent, will inevitably reduce Marshal Chiang Kai-shek's Government to the status of a mere local administration, the result being increasing pressure against Soviet influence in Outer Mongolia and Sinkiang.—*Reuter.*

CLIPPER HELD UP

Owing to mechanical trouble in one of the engines, the flight of the Philippine Clipper, which was to have left Manila at dawn to-day for Hongkong, has been postponed.

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UGAKI CONSIDERS WAR DECLARATION

BRITAIN ANXIOUS FOR PEACE

China's Remoteness To Blame for Lack Of Intervention

Tokyo, June 22.

The Foreign Minister, General K. Ugaki, is earnestly examining the pros and cons of a formal declaration of war on China.

It is believed that this action may be taken in order to reduce assistance to China by third party Powers, according to *Nichi Nichi*.—*Reuter.*

BRITAIN GLAD TO MEDIATE

London, June 22.

"Great Britain will be glad to do everything in her power, alone or in collaboration with other Powers, to bring about an Armistice in the conflict in China."

This declaration was made by the Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, Mr. R. A. Butler, in reply to a question in the House of Commons last night.

Mr. Butler pointed out, however, that there were no grounds for believing that Japan would accept any proposal from foreign Powers which included the withdrawal of Japanese troops as a basis for negotiations.

The Under-Secretary recalled the recent statement of the Japanese Foreign Minister, in which General Ugaki doubted the possibility of any foreign Power being able to intervene between Japan and China.—*Trans-Ocean.*

China Too Far Away

London, June 21.

"If it were not that China is so far away, and the scenes taking place there were not so remote from our everyday consciousness, I think the sentiments of pity, of horror and of indignation which would be aroused by a full perception of these events might drive this people to courses which perhaps they have never yet contemplated."

This was part of the Government reply made by the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, during the debate to-day on Foreign Affairs.

Mr. Chamberlain arose immediately after Mr. P. J. Noel-Baker, Labour

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JAPANESE OCCUPY NAMOA ISLAND

Strategic Point Near Swatow

Swatow, June 22.

Namoa Island was occupied by Japanese marines last night after a sharp fight.

Japanese planes are active this morning, bombing the railway station at 7 a.m. and the power station at 9.30 a.m. The damage was slight.—*Reuter.*

HEAVY BOMBARDMENT

Swatow, June 22.

The Japanese are reported to be invading Namoa, an island to the east of Swatow.

Under a terrific protective barrage laid by more than 10 warships, a contingent of several hundred Japanese marines forced a landing yesterday afternoon.

Chinese defenders put up a stiff resistance and fighting was continuing late last night.

Throughout yesterday the Japanese vessels shelled the island, whilst Japanese aircraft rained high explosives in relays.—*Central News.*

BOMBERS RETURN, POUND CANTON

Great Fire Started In Early Raid

(Special to "Telegraph")

Canton, June 22.

This city was subjected early to-day to a severe bombing attack. Nine planes, flying in three relays, appeared at 6 a.m. and until 7 a.m. systematically bombed the Wongsha Station area and other points.

An immense fire was started in the central district, from which a huge volume of smoke and flame poured although fire-fighting apparatus was on the scene quickly.

The Shameen was shaken by the concussion of the bombs, but no damage was done.

The first flight of bombers apparently aimed at the White Cloud Aerodrome and near-by spur railway. Damage is unknown.

It is feared that casualties may be considerable as many persons had been filtering back into the central and frequently bombed areas during the cessation of bombing attacks in the past ten days. The populace was shocked by to-day's raid, which was apparently unexpected.

Anti-aircraft fire was particularly heavy and a cloud of shell-bursts surrounded the raiders which kept to a high altitude.—*United Press.*

30 CASUALTIES REPORTED

Canton, June 22.

Thirty casualties were caused in Wongsha and its vicinity by this morning's raids.

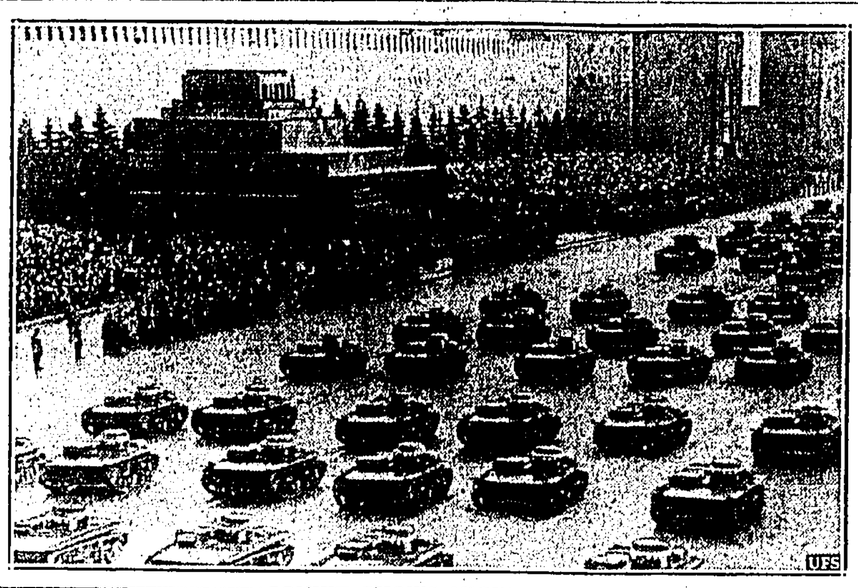
Six Japanese planes appeared over the city at 6.15 a.m., dropping nearly a dozen incendiary bombs and one large aerial torpedo. The bombs demolished 35 buildings, and caused fires in numerous places

Fire brigades and rescue workers are still busy among the ruins. The raiders again flew over Shameen while approaching Wongsha, despite the recent British and French protests.—*Reuter.*

KILLED IN STREET

The body of Yiu Kai-hong, address unknown, was removed to the Kowloon Public Mortuary yesterday, after he had been killed when attempting to board bus No. 540 while it was in motion in Nathan Road.

Japanese Admit Grave Situation In Shansi



SOVIET SHOWS MIGHT—Vast military show indicating might of the Soviet was staged in Moscow on May Day, when tanks, guns and other mechanised war equipment thundered through Red Square with 1,000,000 workers from factories and offices. Here is a view of the light tanks. Stalin and other leaders watched the parade for hours from Lenin's tomb, at left.

French Press Says Spanish Peace Is Near

Paris, June 22.

French newspapers believe that peace is near in Spain.

The speech yesterday by the Spanish Prime Minister, Dr. Juan Negrin, is believed to have paved the way for an armistice between the Insurgents and Loyalists.

Le Temps interprets Dr. Negrin's speech as a declaration that foreign intervention has prevented the Spanish people from settling their quarrel. France will have a major part in terminating the civil war, the paper believes.

The *Journal des Debats* also believes that peace is now within the realm of probability, since the idea of an armistice and negotiations has not been rejected by the Spanish Prime Minister.

Les Informationes declares that the new attitude of Dr. Negrin opens up the possibility of an early termination of the Spanish civil war.—*Trans-Ocean.*

AMERICAN ALLEGEDLY ASSAULTED

Protest Lodged With Japan Consulate

Shanghai, June 22.

Well-informed circles state that Mr. John B. Allison, Third Secretary of the U.S. Embassy in Nanking, who was involved in the face-slapping incident on Jauary 25, protested to the Japanese Consulate at Nanking on Saturday regarding an incident in which a Japanese sentry is alleged to have slapped the face of an American, Dr. J. C. Thompson, of New Brunswick, N.J., and attached to the Nanking University.

The incident is alleged to have occurred while Dr. Thompson was endeavouring to protect his ricksha coolie from a beating by a Japanese sentry.

The Japanese Consulate has replied that the Japanese sentry denied having slapped Dr. Thompson, who is accused of interfering with the sentry's duties.

Mr. Allison has informed the Japanese that the reply is considered unsatisfactory.

Local Consular officials decline to comment on the incident. However, it is understood that an additional exchange of notes has been made without the incident being settled.—*United Press.*

JEWISH ADVERTISING RESTRICTED

Berlin, June 22.

The German Post Office is prohibiting Jews from mailing advertising matter unless it is addressed to Jews.—*United Press.*

TILTMAN CONDEMNS CANTON BOMBINGS, SALUTES BRAVE

Among new arrivals in the Colony yesterday was Mr. Hessell Tiltman, war correspondent for London *Daily Express* and author of several books on Chinese affairs including The Far East Comes Nearer and The Uncensored Far East, who is one of the small band of foreign newsmen who have been covering the Canton raids.

Interviewed by the *Telegraph* Mr. Tiltman declared: "The horrors of Canton should never have been permitted to happen and, unless the world is insane, will never be permitted to happen again.

"The schoolboy excuses of Japanese Spokesmen deceive nobody. During the past three weeks I have been in more than three dozen air-raids during which bombs have been dropped indiscriminately over more than one hundred points of a congested and almost undefended city. The result was what one would expect—during those days I have seen enough blood and horror to last a lifetime. But it wasn't the blood of soldiers or government officials. It was the blood of innocent civilians—more than half of them women and children.

"The responsibility for these mass murders does not rest with the kindly, gentle people among whom I have lived in Japan. I do not believe for one instant that my friends and neighbours at Tokyo—if they could have seen what I have seen—would tolerate this crime.

"Nor does responsibility rest with the half and quarter trained boys who are sent up in powerful warplanes to throw high explosives on other people's homes. Their general aim is appalling, but presumably their superiors don't care."

"Responsibility belongs to the Japanese High Command which planned,

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VILLAGES DESTROYED IN QUAKE

Moscow, June 22.

A number of villages were destroyed by a severe earthquake in Central Asia ten minutes before midnight yesterday.

The centre of the disturbance was 60 miles south-west of Almaata, capital of Kazakhstan.

Loud subterranean rumblings preceded the shock.

A Government commission has been appointed for the relief of sufferers.—*Reuter.*

Seamen Tell Of Threats Of Murder

Evidence Given By Man Who Deserted

Conflicting Details

Evidence of having heard accused say he would shoot Leading Seaman Robert Dickinson was given by several witnesses at the Criminal Session this morning, when the trial of Able Seaman Edwin Moreland Dwyer for the murder of Dickinson on board H.M.S. Dorsetshire, was continued.

The case is being heard by Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell, Acting Chief Justice, and the following Special Jury: Messrs. H. H. H. Priestley (Foreman), A. M. L. Soares, D. W. Munton, J. M. Noronha, I. W. Shewan, Chau Shiu-ng and Li Tse-fong.

Mr. J. Whyatt, Crown Counsel, appears for the prosecution and the Hon. Mr. Leo D'Almada, Jnr., instructed by Mr. G. S. Hugh-Jones, is for the defence. Mr. E. Davidson is watching the proceedings on behalf of the Admiralty.

When the case was resumed this morning, Able Seaman John Humphreys, who had already given his evidence-in-chief, was cross-examined by Counsel for the defence. Witness said that when Dickinson followed him and Dwyer to the boys' locker flat, that was the first and

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FLOODS ASSISTING CHINESE FORCES IN COUNTER DRIVE

Invaders Massing Huge Force For Offensive

Peiping, June 22.

Ninety per cent. of the waters of the Yellow River are still flowing through the breaks in the dykes near Kaifeng, states a Japanese report.

As a result of the flood waters reaching the upper Hwai River valley, this stream is rising rapidly.

While the Japanese are rescuing their units from the flooded areas, the Chinese are most active around Peiping and in Shansi province.

Three actions with large forces of Chinese guerillas are reported along the Peiping-Hankow railway, one of the battles interrupting rail communication between Peiping and Paotingfu. Guerillas burned down the wooden railway bridge at Kupeikow, disrupting traffic along the newly constructed Peiping-Jehol Railway.

Southern Shansi is reported to be in a chaotic state. The Japanese admit that 27 Chinese divisions are now in the southern half of the province, attacking constantly along the railway between Taiyuan and Puchow. As a result of the Chinese offensive in this area, rail traffic is frequently interrupted.—*Reuter.*

Chinese Counter Attack

Hankow, June 22.

Following disruption of the Japanese plans along the Lunghai Railway as a result of the Yellow River floods, the Chinese forces are launching at-

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Six Feared Dead In R.A.F. Crash

Singapore, June 22.

Six men are feared to have been killed in a Royal Air Force tragedy here.

Two Vickers Vildebeeste machines, torpedo-bombers of the R.A.F., crashed into the sea last night near Port Swettenham while engaged in a training flight.—*Reuter.*

GOEBBELS SHOUTS THREATS

What Happened In Austria Will Happen Again

Berlin, June 22.

During a speech last night on the current wave of anti-Semiticism, Dr. Goebbels, the Minister for Propaganda, took advantage of the opportunity to warn the world that "Germany would not watch much longer while 3,500,000 Germans were maltreated in the Sudeten areas."

"One would expect that the nations of the world would learn, in this twentieth century, that they cannot separate one race into two countries," he declared.

Dr. Goebbels referred to the crisis resulting from the Sudeten demand for autonomy.

"We saw the result of this in Austria. Now we shall see it again somewhere else," he declared.

The Minister for Propaganda was addressing 100,000 people in the Olympic Stadium during the Summer Solstice celebrations in connection with the Aryanisation of German business.

"Jewish stores will soon disappear from Germany," he said. "It is self-evident that the citizens of Berlin should take measures against the Jews lolling on the boulevards and in the cafes. However, they should be handled by the Party and State, and not in the streets.

"Some people lament the fact that Jewish shops were painted as such. It is well, however, to know which are Jewish shops."—*United Press*

SEVERE METHODS TO SUPPRESS JEWISH ACTIVITY

Berlin, June 21.

Dr. Josef Goebbels, Reich Minister for Propaganda and Public Enlightenment, announced to-day that severe methods would be adopted in the near future to suppress all Jewish business activities in Germany.—*Reuter.*

STOP PRESS

HAWKERS' LICENCE SYSTEM ATTACKED

Mr. H. R. Butters, Senior Magistrate, during this morning's court session, said in defence of his previous remarks regarding the licencing and correction of hawkers, which were criticised by the chairman of the Urban Council, Mr. R. R. Todd, last night:

"As I conceive it, there are two on the subject of hawkers with regard to which the chairman of the Urban Council has now made a set speech in which he charged me with aggravating the problem and discouraging the police in the performance of their duties. Owing to that I feel constrained to make a few further remarks.

"As I conceded, there are two aspects of the problem. The first is the policy of discouraging if not the suppression of unlicensed hawkers, and from my experience in court I consider that the problem has been aggravated by the number of refugees in the Colony. I understand competition has been so great that even licensed hawkers have been unable in certain cases to collect the four dollars with which to renew their licences.

"The policy appears to be 'force' as represented by fine and confiscation. The chairman of the Urban Council stresses the difficulty in the market areas. In the case of hawkers around the markets they are generally hawking a few vegetables, and their whole stock in trade is not worth more than ten or twenty cents.

NOT WORTH CONFISCATION

"I do no think confiscation of these few vegetables or confiscation and reconfiscation will solve this problem.

"This morning there are 50 hawking cases before the Big Court, the Small Court and the Juvenile Court,

(Further Stop Press News on Page 12.)

JAPANESE MASS FOR BIG PUSH

Packed Transports Pass Nanking

Shanghai May Be Main Base

Shanghai, June 22.

Presaging an early "big push" along the Yangtse, both by river and by land, Japanese troops are pouring into the Yangtse Valley through Shanghai.

The majority of the new arrivals are believed to be from the Lunghai Railway area, where Japanese plans for a drive on Hankow along the Peiping-Hankow Railway were completely disrupted by the Yellow River floods.

No less than twenty transports, packed to their limit, have been observed passing Nanking during the past 48 hours. They are being convoyed up the Yellow River by a fleet of destroyers, mine-sweepers and gunboats.

According to foreign reports, Nanking itself is packed with Japanese troops resting from front line duties.

An aircraft carrier with about 150 aeroplanes aboard was also seen being convoyed up the river towards Kiukiang, where the powerful Chinese boom across the Yangtse is now being subjected to an intensive aerial long-distance naval bombardment.

Forts Check Approach

Several Chinese forts above the Kiukiang boom are said to be preventing the Japanese warships from approaching closer to the boom.

The strength of the Japanese naval concentration in the vicinity of Anking is said to be over 90 warships.

Some 60,000 to 70,000 Japanese soldiers are estimated to have passed through Shanghai during the past week en route to points along the Yangtse. In addition, there have been large movements of equipment and supplies.

The movement of Japanese troops is said to be the largest seen here since the days of fighting in Shanghai.

In addition to transports, several Japanese Red Cross ships have also passed Shanghai en route to the Yangtse.

It is believed that as the Japanese campaign on the Yangtse progresses, Shanghai will again be the key point for incoming troops and wounded soldiers.—*Reuter Special.*

Anticipate Breach

Shanghai, June 22.

Evidently expecting that the Japanese will soon break through the Yangtse boom at Matang, it is reliably learned that the Chinese have commenced mining the entrance to Lake Poyang, where the lake joins the Yangtse below Kiukiang.

Two Chinese lighters filled with mines, ready to lay a field in this area, exploded during the week-end, lighters and crew disappearing without a trace.

It is further learned from reliable sources that the Chinese have commenced tearing up large sections of the railway between Kiukiang and Kaichang and between Hangchow and Nanchang. This is presumably because they fear a Japanese military excursion on the south bank of the Yangtse, and the capture of Nanchang, an important aeroplane and arms manufacturing centre, prior to the attack on Hankow itself.—*Reuter Special.*

Millions To Revive U.S. Prosperity

Washington, June 21.

President Roosevelt has signed the U.S. $3,750,000,000 Pump-Priming Bill.

He announced that work would begin within two months on a $35,000,000 works' programme.—*Reuter.*

FRANCE CLOSES SPANISH FRONTIER

Road Of Supply To Loyalists Cut

Paris, June 21.

The French Foreign Office has ordered the sealing of the Pyrenees frontier against arms shipments to Spain.

It is hoped that this action will lead to a resumption of Franco-Italian negotiations.

Closure of the French frontier now leaves the Loyalists dependent on ships running the coastal blockade.—*United Press.*

NEARER AGREEMENT

London, June 21.

The sub-Committee of the Non-Intervention Committee sat for two hours to-day. Excellent progress was made on all points.

The Soviet delegate said that the U.S.S.R. Government had carefully examined the new proposal regarding Sea Control, suggested by Lord Plymouth. While it did not consider the proposal fully satisfactory, the Soviet was prepared to adopt it in a spirit of compromise and as a step towards the Soviet point of view.

Hopes for a resumption of Franco-Italian conversation were increased by the progress made at to-day's meeting of the Non-Intervention sub-Committee.

It is officially stated that the Committee unanimously approved the British plan, including the provisions for the restoration and strengthening of land and sea control and the establishment of observers at certain Spanish ports.

The Committee, after sitting for two hours this afternoon, adjourned until Friday, when it will dispose of certain details concerning a scheme for financing by the various participant Governments of the new non-Intervention scheme.

The full Non-Intervention Committee will now be informed of the scheme and will meet shortly to approve it. The scheme will then be presented to the two sides in the civil war in Spain.—*Reuter.*

Perfume Theft At Sincere's Nets Sentence

The cosmetic department of the Sincere Company, Ltd., Des Voeux Road Central, was victimised twice yesterday afternoon by shop-lifters, but the keen-sighted salesmen got their men before they could abscond with the loots.

The two men who were caught red-handed taking the cosmetics were charged before Mr. W. J. Lockhart Smith at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Chan Kau, 20, unemployed, was sentenced to three months' hard labour for the theft of two boxes of dentifrice and a bottle of perfume. Chan Chi, 23, a banishee, was sentenced to three months' hard labour, for larceny of 12 jars of Ponds cold cream. Defendant was further sentenced to nine months' hard labour for returning to the Colony before the expiration of his ten years' banishment term imposed on April, 1932.

Sailing Permit Granted Japan By Russians

Tokyo, June 21.

Japanese reports state that the Soviet Government has now agreed to issue a sailing permit to the Japanese fisheries depot ship, Koryu Maru.

Previous refusal of the Soviet authorities to visa the permit precipitated a tense situation with the Japanese Government, which contended that the U.S.S.R. was bound by Treaty to extend facilities for the operation of Japanese fishing fleets in northern waters.

It was reported Japan would send her ships into the fishing area under escort of warships.—*United Press.*

BRITAIN CANNOT PREVENT BOMBING

Chamberlain Admits Impotency In Spanish Areas

London, June 21.

Referring in the House of Commons to-day to the bombing of British ships in Spanish waters, the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, said that the British Government had come to the conclusion that temporary intervention was impossible.—*United Press.*

DELIBERATE ATTACKS

London, June 22.

In the view of the British Government far too many instances have occurred in the Far East and Spain where general air bombing rules have been plainly disregarded and there have been deliberate attacks on civilians, declared the Prime Minister in the Foreign Affairs Debate in the House of Commons last night.

The Government has come to the conclusion that it would be impossible to protect British ships in Spanish territorial waters without intervening in the Spanish civil war and cutting across the whole policy which the Government has been following. At the same time, the Government did not admit the right of General Francisco Franco or anybody else to attack British ships. The difficulty was to find a practical means of preventing it.

REJECTS REPRISAL PLAN

Mr. Chamberlain rejected suggestions made in the debate that Sir Robert Hodgson should be withdrawn from his post in Spain, that trade with Insurgent Spain should be cut off and that Insurgent balances should be impounded. He added that while the war continued they must expect a succession of these incidents—the bombing and sinking of British merchantmen in Spanish waters—against which the Government had protested. Only yesterday, he said, the Government had sent a note reserving claims for compensation.

Concluding, the Prime Minister said the only satisfactory solution for Britain would be the termination of the War. The Government would from time to time make soundings with a view to seeing whether there were any favourable prospects of success and when the time came would be only glad to offer its services, either alone or in conjunction with other powers, in assisting to bring this lamentable conflict to an end.—*Reuter Special.*

HOPE FOR NEW CODE

London, June 21.

Coincident with the adoption by the sub-Committee of the Non-Intervention Committee of the British plan for control in Spain, which has considerably enhanced the prospects of complete success for the Anglo-Italian pact, the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, told the House of Commons to-day that he was formulating an International Code for Aerial Warfare.

The Prime Minister revealed his scheme after Mr. P. J. Noel-Baker, Labour Member for Coventry, had charged that aerial bombings of civilians in Spain and China had sickened the world.

The Prime Minister admitted that new horrors and new problems beset the world in future wars.

THREE PRINCIPLES

Three general principles would receive acceptance in any International Code adopted regarding the conduct of aerial warfare. It was a violation of International Law to deliberately attack civilians. Objects of attack must be legitimate military objectives. Thirdly, most reasonable care must be taken not to bomb civilians in the neighbourhood of military objectives.

"I cannot too strongly condemn declarations that it is part of a nation's policy to try and win war by bombing civilians.

"There are, however, practical difficulties of applying the three principles outlined above. For instance, a nation may deny that its airmen are deliberately bombing civilians. The difficulty, too, is to define military objectives and to determine whether the killing of civilians is due to carelessness."—*United Press.*

SPAIN WILL HELP

London, June 21.

It is learned from official sources that the Spanish Government is ready to collaborate with the International Commission, consisting of members from Great Britain, Sweden and Norway, which the British Government proposes shall be established to enquire into aerial bombings of Spain.—*Reuter.*

Later.

Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, winding up the debate, said to-day's Non-Intervention Committee agreement had gone a long way towards putting non-intervention into practice. The plan was to make it operate fairly for all sides.

An improved sea observation scheme would make it virtually impossible for a ship to enter a Spanish port without an observer, or without being observed.

A Labour amendment to reduce Foreign Office estimates was defeated by 287 to 148.—*Reuter.*

NOEL-BAKER ATTACKS

London, June 21.

Opening the Foreign Affairs debate for the Opposition Mr. Noel-Baker accused the Government of failure to take action to protect British shipping such as their predecessors had taken at the time of the Metropolitan-Vickers case in Russia, owing to its sympathy with General Franco.

Mr. Noel-Baker replied to suggestions sometimes made by back-bench supporters of the Government that British ships subject to attack had not the right of protection afforded by the British flag, and were trading with ports in Government Spain despite the known risks, only for the purpose of reaping enormous profits. Mr. Noel-Baker estimated the value of British exports to Government Spain in the last six months at £2,500,000, apart from the considerable imports of wheat from Australia.

My case is that the Government seems incapable of making a stand against the demands of dictatorship States," the speaker declared.

"I contend that if only we would show firmness, the general situation, instead of steadily deteriorating, would be found to improve."

Sir Archibald Sinclair, who spoke for the Liberals after the Prime Minister, thought that the latter's speech was an invitation to General Franco to maintain and intensify the air blockade of ports in Government Spain by the bombing of peaceful shipping.

"The only reason why the British Government has sunk so low as to meekly suffer such insults is because the Prime Minister's fortunes are politically bound up with the Anglo-Italian Agreement," the liberal leader declared. He asked for information regarding rumours in certain newspapers that Signor Mussolini had asked the British Government to bring the agreement into operation in advance of the fulfilment of the condition that there should be a general settlement in Spain. If this were true, Sir Archibald Sinclair desired to know what had been the Government's reply.—*British Wireless.*

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JAPANESE DENY ALL NARCOTIC CHARGES

Stormy Sessions At Geneva

Geneva, June 21.

Each instance of illicit opium traffic given in the statement by the U.S. representative at the League of Nations' Advisory Committee's meeting on June 13 was contested by the Japanese representative at to-day's meeting.

Mr. Amau said that the North China Provisional Government had been authorised to import 428 chests of opium, which was in conformity with the authorities' permit.

Japan strongly protested against the charge that she was responsible for alleged illicit opium transactions.

The Chinese delegate, Dr. Hoo, expressed surprise at the quantities of opium North China was importing, pointing out that when North China was under the control of the Central Government such quantities were not imported.

Mr. Amau replied that as China did not exercise power over certain regions, the *de facto* authority might import the opium.

Dr. Hoo retorted that China controlled more of its provinces than Japan and its armies.

The President intervened and closed the discussion.—*Reuter.*

Kowloon Silk Store Burglary: $260 Stolen

A cashbox containing $260 in money was stolen by some person who gained admittance to Harirom's Silk Store at 51 Nathan Road by unlocking the rear window sometime on Monday night.

The loss was not discovered until Tuesday morning, when a report was made to the police.

Chinese Woman Dies On Voyage Across Pacific

Not Allowed Ashore In Australia

The body of a Chinese woman who had been refused entry into Australia was brought ashore from the Canadian Pacific Empress of Canada when it arrived in Hongkong to-day from Manila.

The woman's six year old daughter was left in the hands of charity officers.

The woman, who was travelling as a deck passenger, died from tuberculosis. Her death was the fourth among the Chinese deck passengers since the ship left Vancouver on the outward journey to Hongkong.

Also aboard the Empress of Canada were two Russian deportees from the Philippine Islands. They were illegal immigrants and had stowed away on the President Coolidge and got ashore at Manila.

Both will be put ashore when the ship reaches Shanghai.

European Lady Loses Purse For Third Time

Mrs. J. Wagner of 224 Nathan Road was a victim of bag snatchers for the third time yesterday, losing her handbag on each occasion.

She was walking in Nathan Road in the vicinity of the Duro Garage yesterday when a man approached from behind and snatched her purse which was valued, with its contents, at $73.

The thief, named Hung Kam-luk, was chased and arrested near the old Central British School by a man named Fung Huen.

Hung was sentenced at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning to three months' hard labour by Mr. K. M. A. Barnett. He will be deported to Swatow, his native country, after the prison term.

ANOTHER MAN CAUGHT

Chased and caught by the police after he had snatched a handbag from a woman in Connaught Road West at 1.30 this morning, Kam Tak, 36, unemployed, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment when he pleaded guilty to the charge before Mr. H. R. Butters at the Central Magistracy this morning.

The bag and contents were valued at $19.20.

EMPRESS OF CANADA PASSENGERS

Among the 176 passengers who arrived to-day on the Empress of Canada from Manila were Mr. B. Chnick, of Manila, of the buisness firm of Marsman & Co., Inc., Mr. J. Naftaly, a prominent Manila merchant, Mr. G. M. Riviero, of Ohio, special representative of the Goodyear Rubber Co., and Lt. and Mrs. S. L. Huff, of the U. S. Army.

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Tennis

Chinese R.C. Almost Sure Of Shield

Beat K.C.C. Easily By Nine To Nil

Kowloon Cricket Club's challenge to the Chinese Recreation Club for the "A" Division tennis league championship, ended ignominiously yesterday, the K.C.C., though enjoying use of their own courts, being beaten by nine sets to love.

As in previous years, the Chinese won so handsomely because generally speaking they possessed the stronger and more reliable finishing shots. Nevertheless, one hardly expected the home players to fare so disastrously. Losing the opening three sets was a bitter pill and they never recovered from it, the task of the champions becoming easier as the match progressed.

Tsui Yun-pui, Paul Kong and W. C. Hung played dependable tennis and were the most impressive figures for the winners, though Tsui Wai-pui also pulled out some glorious winners on occasions.

Guest and Gray had a peculiar experience. After winning the first four games against Lee Wai-tong and Luk Ding-cheung in the first set, they proceeded to lose the next 18 games in a row to concede the three sets at 4-6, 0-6, 0-6.

Ernest Fincher was worried by string breaking in his racket and he and Teddy Fincher never settled down to their normal game. Burnett and Crawford made strong efforts to snatch a set and led Hung and Tsui Wai-pui 3-1, but they could not sustain the effort.

The C.R.C. are practically assured of the title for another season. They have yet to meet the Indian Recreation Club, who, by reason of their success over the Club de Recreio, are the only team now in a position to thwart the Chinese.

At Sookunpoo the Indians, after leading by 4½ sets to 1½ at the end of the second round, only managed to beat the Club de Recreio by 5½ to 3½. As usual, S. A. and Omar Rumjahn were the best Indian pair and took three sets. In their last set against A. V. Gosano and F. J. Remedios, however, they were trailing 1-3 and it was just as well that they improved to take the set; for the othe rtwo Indian pairs dropped theirs.

Scores:

Indian Recreation Club beat Recreio 5½-3½ in the "A" Division of the Tennis League yesterday.

S. A. and O. Rumjahn beat A. V. Remedios and J. Gonsalves 6-4, beat A. V. Gosano and F. J. Remedios 6-4; beat H. A. Barros and C. A. Botelho 6-2.

A. R. Minu and I. M. A. Razack lost to Remedios and Gonsalves 4-6; beat Gosano and Remedios 6-0; drew with Barros and Botelho 6-6.

H. D. Rumjahn and A. H. Madar lost to Remedios and Gonsalves 3-6; beat Gosano and Remedios 6-3; lost to Barros and Botelho 3-6.

K.C.C. v. C.R.C.

Kowloon Cricket Club lost to Chinese Recreation Club 0-9.

G. C. Burnett and A. Crawford lost to W. C. Hung and Tsui Wai-pui 4-6; lost to Tsui Yun-pui and Paul Kong 3-6; lost to Lee Wai-tong and Luk Ding-cheung 4-6.

A. E. P. Guest and S. A. Gray lost to Hung and Tsui 0-6; lost to Tsui and Kong 0-6; lost to Lee and Luk 4-6.

E. C. Fincher and E. F. Fincher lost to Hung and Tsui 2-6; lost to Tsui and Kong 2-6; lost to Lee and Luk 3-6.

SOUTH CHINA v. U.S.R.C.

South China lost to United Service 3-6.

A. Chan and F. N. Wong lost to L. Goldman and G. E. R. Divett 3-6; beat J. Smalley and D. S. Misra 6-1; beat Irwin and Beadnell 6-1.

H. K. Ho and H. Y. Hsu lost to Goldman and Divett 0-6; lost to Smalley and Misra 4-6; lost to Irwin and Beadnell 4-6.

Y. K. Ng and P. Y. Chang lost to Goldman and Divett 2-6; beat Smalley and Misra 6-3; lost to Irwin and Beadnell 1-6.

U.S. SPREADING NET TO CATCH AGENTS OF FOREIGN POWERS

New York, June 21.

The Federal Bureau of Investigation indicated to-day that further arrests and a wider inquiry into Spy Ring activities would follow the present Grand Jury investigations.

It is believed that the intensity of the prosecution of alleged Nazi spies indicates that the Department of State is co-operating with the Federal Bureau of Investigation.—*United Press.*

Blunt Castigation

New York, June 21.

The Grand Jury indictments in the alleged Spy Ring case are described by the *New York Times* as one of the bluntest documents castigating a friendly nation since the Great War.

The newspaper points out that since 13 of the 18 accused are in Germany, the action of the Grand Jury appeared to be mainly a moral indictment of the German nation.

It is revealed that one of the clues was provided by continued surveillance of Mrs. Jessie Jordan, the Dundee hairdresser who was sentenced in Scotland on May 16 to four years' penal servitude for espionage against Great Britain. She acted as a "Post Office" between America and Germany, the *Times* alleges.—*Reuter.*

Not Taken Seriously

Berlin, June 21.

A denial that any active German officers were involved in espionage in the United States was contained in a statement to-day in the official German News Agency, which comments laconically: "We learn from well-informed circles there can be no question of espionage among active officers of the German Army in the United States."

German official circles refrain from taking too serious a view of the reports from New York.—*Reuter.*

DE VALERA ON SOLID GROUND

Dublin, June 21.

The de Valera Government has secured an absolute majority of 16 seats over all other parties in the elections.

He gained eight seats at the expense of the Cosgrave Party and Labour.

Final state of the parties in the elections is as follows:

	Old Dail	New Dail
Fianna Fail	69	75
Fine Gael	48	45
Labour	13	9
Independent	8	7

—*Reuter.*

JUMPED FROM THIRD FLOOR

An amah named Wong Ho, 29, who attempted suicide by jumping from the third floor of a verandah into the back yard of No. 219 Wing Lok street, died at the Queen Mary hospital at 12.20 p.m. yesterday.

Another woman, Wong See, 64, of 44 Tai Yuen Street, who had been admitted to the same hospital on June 14 suffering from the effects of immersion after she had tried to commit suicide, also died yesterday.

JAPAN MUST CRUSH ALL RESISTANCE

Chinese Paper Quotes Japanese Opinion

"Until the formidable resistance of the Chinese Nation is broken, Japan cannot end the Sino-Japanese war as she wishes; and it is apparent that the day of Japanese victory is still distant," writes the Peiping correspondent of the semi-official *Yomiuri Shimbun* in recent correspondence from the northern front, according to the *Wah Tze Evening Post*, local vernacular paper.

A most significant development in the current war, continues the correspondent, is the spreading of the will of resistance against the Japanese among the civilians as well as soldiers with the dissemination of the anti-Japanese publicity and education. The traditional anti-Japanese policy of the National Government has penetrated to millions who now fight the Japanese "blindly." Under the banner of resistance against the Japanese, all domestic differences which would have caused bloodshed in former days, have been buried, the writer observes.

The only way out for Japan now is to continue the expedition until the power of the Chinese resistance is totally wrecked, the Japanese writer concludes.

Joe Louis Defends His Title To-Day

(Continued from Page 8.)

—Schmeling, Germany's idol befriended by Adolph Hitler, versus Louis, a Negro whose spectacular rise in professional boxing carried him to the championship when he was only 23, in a bout staged by Mike Jacobs, a Jew who is the leading entrepreneur in the pugilistic realm.

OUT FOR REVENGE

There will be a vicious Louis, bent on keeping the coveted title in his possession and in so doing, avenging the humiliation wrought on him at a time when he was being idolized as invincible. On the other hand, there will be Schmeling, obsessed with the desire to win back his long-lost honours and to prove to a waiting world that he is still superior to the man he thoroughly drubbed two years ago. But there is more than a personal motive: the entire German nation expects him to win, no matter who his opponent may be, because he is a German. Duty to the Fatherland will be as great an incentive as his personal reasons.

Both fighters will be almost the same weight. Schmeling will probably weigh in at 197 pounds while Louis is likely to scale 202.

With ticket prices ranging from $3.75 for bleacher seats to $30 for ringside locations, and with the prospects of at least 80,000 attendance, a gate exceeding a million dollars is anticipated—the first one since the last Tunney-Dempsey fight in 1927. If economic conditions had been similar to those of '27, a three million dollar gate might have been expected.

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Baseball

NEW YORK OUTFITS DEFEATED

Giants Bow To Reds, Yankees To Indians

New York, June 21.

New York Giants were defeated again to-day in the National Baseball League to-day, losing to the Cincinnati Reds by 6-2. The Yankees also lost, their opponents being Cleveland Indians.

The following were the results of matches played to-day:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	6	8	2
New York	2	4	0

(Goodman and Lombardi homered for the Reds and Denning for the Giants).

St. Louis	1	5	4
Boston	3	6	0
Chicago	4	8	3
Philadelphia	3	7	1

(Carnovich homered for the Phillies).

The match between Pittsburgh Pirates and Brooklyn Dodgers will be played at night.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Washington	7	10	0
Chicago	0	5	0

(Kelly pitched for the Senators and Simmons homered).

Philadelphia	2	5	1
St. Louis	5	11	0

(Chapman homered for the Athletics, and Sullivan and Heath homered for the Browns).

Boston	8	12	1
Detroit	3	7	2

(York homered for the Tigers).

Boston	4	10	0
Detroit	5	7	1

(York homered for the Tigers).

New York	5	7	1
Cleveland	10	14	2

(Heath homered for the Indians).—*Reuter.*

KING WATCHES MOCK BATTLE

London, June 21.

His Majesty the King, aboard the flagship Nelson, watched a spectacular demonstration by the Home Fleet in action during all-day manoeuvres over a battle area of three hundred square miles in the English Channel.

The exercises included a torpedo attack by 18 destroyers on H.M.S. Nelson and H.M.S. Rodney, two hits being registered on each ship.

The Fleet was also subjected to a mass air attack by 18 torpedo bombers.

A belt of fog appeared during the manoeuvres and a number of exercises had to be abandoned, including the firing of 15-in. guns on wireless controlled targets from the battleship Royal Oak.—*Reuter.*

GUNPOWDER IN POSSESSION

A fine of $50 was imposed on Yip Man, 38, a stonebreaker, when he appeared before Mr. H. R. Butters at the Central Magistracy this morning, charged with possession of eight catties of gunpowder on June 19 at Morrison Hill without a permit from the Commissioner of Police.

Detective Sub-Inspector Darkin prosecuted.

MANILA SHARES

The following quotations were received after the close of the morning session through *Reuters*:

	Business Done Prices in Pesos June 21	June 22
Antamok	.42½	.42½
Atok	.27½	.27
Baguio Gold	.21½	Unq.
Benguet Consolidated	10.00	10.00
Coco Grove	.48½	.46
Consolidated Mines	Unq.	.003
Demonstration	.20	Unq.
I.X.L.	.70	Unq.
Paracale Gumaus	Unq.	.13½
San Mauricio	.45	.44½
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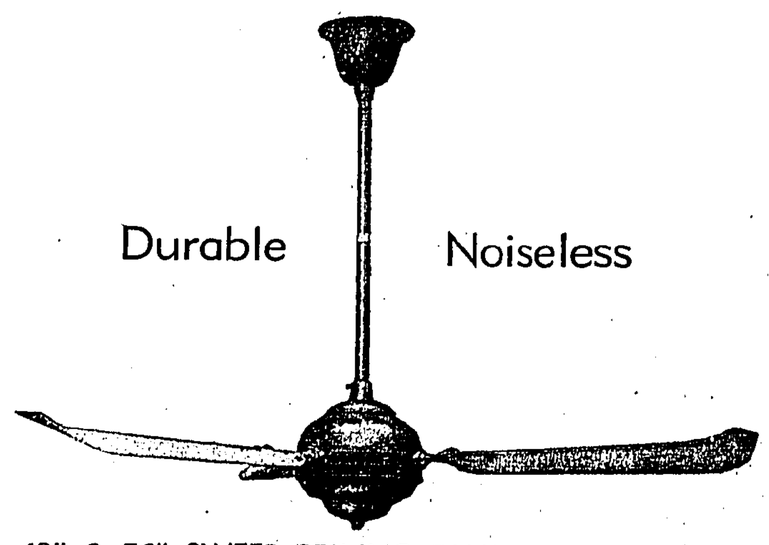

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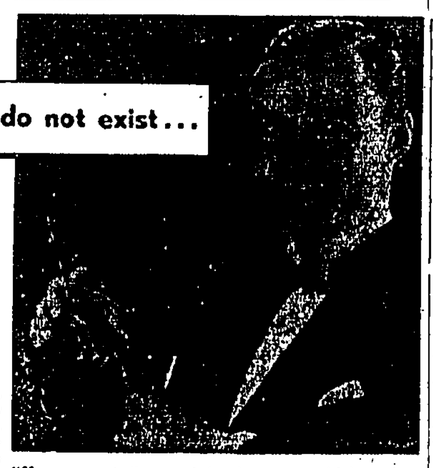

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All claims must be sent in to me on or before 2nd July, 1938, or they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages will be examined by the Company's Surveyor Messrs. Goddard and Douglas in the presence of the Consignees at 10.00 a.m. on Tuesday, 28th June, 1938.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

R. OHL.
Agent.

Hongkong, 22nd June, 1938.

Won't Award Damages To Be Wasted On "Quacks"

Many Chinese people in the Colony dislike treatment given by European doctors or by Chinese doctors practising Western medicine. This was made evident during the smallpox epidemic, when scores of people hid patients rather than bring them to the notice of the Government authorities.

This morning, a remand case was taken before Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistracy, wherein the complainant had refused to allow his child to go to hospital, although her left leg was fractured.

The child was a six-year-old girl and she had been knocked down by a bicycle driven by an apprentice carpenter named Cheng Fan, 19. He did not report the accident, and was charged with this offence.

Pointing out to the girl's mother that the father of the child had refused to allow her to receive proper treatment in hospital, Mr. Barnett said: "I shall award no amends in this Court. I am not going to make the defendant pay money to be squandered on Chinese doctors."

Mr. Barnett later said that the complainant might waste $500 or $1,000 on quack doctors and never get the child better.

Cheng was fined $10, or 20 days' imprisonment.

Student Flier Unwittingly Hops Frontier

Berlin, June 22.

Landing of a German air force plane at Pilsen, in Czecho-Slovakia, was officially admitted to-day when the German News Aency released the following statement:

"Yesterday afternoon an air force pupil who was making a cross-country flight in a one-seater unarmed exercising plane, carrying no radio, lost his bearings.

"After flying over the frontier he landed safely at the Pilsen Airport, apparently in the belief that he was over a German airport."—*Trans-Ocean.*

U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

New York, June 21.

New York Cotton

	Opening	Closing
July	8.58/59	8.61/61
October	8.62/62	8.63/64
December	8.68/67	8.68/68
Jan. (1939)	8.67/67	8.68/68
Mar. (1939)	8.71/71	8.73/73
May (1939)	8.73/73	8.75/75
Spot	———	8.71

The First Notice Day for July Cotton is June 28, with delivery date July 5.

New York Rubber

July	12.80/79	12.87/87
September	13.01/12.97	13.03/05
December	13.11/09	13.16/19
March	———	13.30/30
May	———	13.43/43

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN.

What to do to help a child

Anyone knowing of a child who has been assaulted, neglected, or ill-treated in a manner likely to cause unnecessary suffering or injury to health, or knowing of a parent who is seeking advice on any matter concerning a child, would be doing an act of kindness by communicating at once with—

The Hon. Secretaries, H.K.S.P.C. Room 308, Bank of East Asia Building, Hongkong, or the Inspector, 49, Pokfulum Road, 1st floor; or the Inspector, Violet Peel Health Centre, Wanchai; or the Inspector, 12, Sai Yeung Choi Street, 1st floor, Kowloon.

All further steps will be taken, and expenses borne, by the Society.

The Informant's name will be kept strictly private, except in cases where malice is proved.

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning.

Banks

H.K. Bank, $1,440 b.
H.K. Banks (Lon. Reg.), £87 n.
Chartered Banks, £11⅝n.
Mercantile Bank, A. and B. £28 n.
Mercantile Bank, C., £13½ n.
East Asia Bank, $90 n.

Insurances

Canton Ins., $245 n.
Union Ins. $510 n.
China Underwriters, $2¼ n.
H.K. Fire Ins., $220 n.

Shipping

Douglas, $85 n.
H.K. Steamboats, $22½ n.
Indo-Chinas (Pref.) $60 n.
Indo-Chinas (Def.), $24 n.
Shell Bearer 50/10½
Union Waterboats, $8.00 n.

Docks etc.

H.K. & Wharves, $120½ b.
H.K. Docks (old), $17¾ b.
H.K. & W. Docks (new), $17 b.
H.K. & W. Docks Rts. —
Providents (old), $3.40 b
Providents (new), $3.30 b.
New Engineerings, Sh. $3.90 n.
Shanghai Docks, Sh. $108 n.
Kailan Mining Adm., 14/6 n.
Raubs, $9¼ n. ex. div.
Venz. Goldfield, $3 b.
Hongkong Mines, 9½ cts. n.

Philippine Mining

Antamoks, P. .42½ sa.
Atoks, P. .27½ sa.
Baguio Gold, P. .22½ sa.
Benguet Consol., P. 10.00
Benguet Explor., —
Big Wedge, P. —
Coco Groves, P. .46½ sa.
Consolidated Mines, P. —
Demonstrations, P. .29 sa.
E. Mindanao, P. —
Gumaus G'fields, P. —
Ips Gold, P —
I.X.L., P. .70 sa.
Itogons, P. —
Min. Resources, P. —
Northern Min., P. —
Paracale Gumaus, P. —
Salacot Mining, P. —
San Mariclo, P. .45 sa.
Suyoc Consol., P. —
United Paracales, P. .31 sa.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, $6.35 b.
H.K. Lands, $33¾ b.
HK. Lands, 4% Deben $102 b.
S'hai Lands, Sh. $8½ n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. —
Humphries, $8¾ b.
H.K. Realties, $5¼ b.
Chinese Estates, $98 n.
China Realties, Sh. —
China Debent, —

Public Utilities

H.K. Tramways, $16.90 b.
Peak Trams (old), $6½ b.
Peak Trams (new), $3½ n.
Star Ferries, $85 n.
Yaumati Ferries (old), $23 n.
Yaumati Ferries rights $21.80 n.
China Light (old), $10.40 b.
China Light (new), $8 n.
H.K. Electric, $59 b. and sa.
Macao Electric, $18 b.
Sandakan Lights, $9½ n.
Telephone (old), $27¼ n.
Telephone (new), $10¼ n.
China Buses, Sh. —
Singapore Tractions, 24/6 n.
Singapore Pref., 24/- n.

Industrials

Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. $14 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. $14 n.
Canton Ices, $1.70 n.
Cements, $16¼ n.
H.K. Ropes, $4.70 n.

Stores, &c.

Dairy Farm, $22¾ b.
Watsons, $6 b. and sa.
Lane Crawfords, $8.70 n.
Sinceres, $2.20 n.
Wing On (H.K.), $60 n.
William Powell, Ltd., 70 cts. n.

Cotton Mills

Ewo Cotton, Sh. $14.90 n.
S'hai Cotton (old), Sh. $75½ n.
Zoong Sings, Sh. $27 n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. $42 n.

Miscellaneous

H.K. Entertainments, $6.40 b.
Constructions, $1½ n.
Vibro Piling, $5¼ n.
Ch. Govt. 4% 1925 G$Bonds., 62½% prm. n.
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 6¾% prm. n. n.
H.K. Govt. 3% Loan 3% prm. b.
Wallace Harpers. —
Marsmans Ins. (Lon), s/- 11/3 n. n.
Marsmans Ins. (H.K.), s/- 3/11 n.
Consolidated Providents (old), $6.80 b.
Consolidated Providents (new), $6.60 b.

Sales for the day:—4,410 tons.

Chicago Wheat

July	78 /77¾	77 /77⅛
September	79½/79⅛	78 /78⅛
December	———	79⅛/79⅞

Monday's Sales—30,388,000 bushels.

Chicago Corn

July	57⅜/57¾	57⅜/57¼
September	58¾/58⅞	58½/58⅝
December	———	57¾/57¾

Winnipeg Wheat

July	109½/109⅝	109⅛/109⅛
October	87½/87⅞	87⅝/87¾
Dec.	———	84¾/84¾

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S CABLED QUOTATIONS

London, June 21.

	June 20	June 21
War Loan 3½% (Red. after 1952)	£101.13/16	£101⅝
Canton-Kowloon Rly. 5%	17	17
Chinese 4½% Gold Loan, 1898 (British Is.)	72	73½
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	61	64
Chinese 4½% Anglo-French Loan, 1908	88	88
Chinese 5% Crisp Loan, 1912	40	44
Chinese 5% Reorg. Loan, 1913 (Ldn. Is.)	56	56½
Chinese 5% Sterling Notes, 1925 (Vickers)	14	14
Chinese Imperial Rly 5% Loan	72	72
Honan Rly. 5%	30	30
Hukuang Rly 5%, 1911	22	24
Hukuang Rly. 5% 1911 (German Issue)	21	22
Lung Tsing & U. Hai Rly. 5%, 1913	14½	14
Shanghai-Nanking Rly. 5%	22½	24
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Stpd.)	21	22
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Ger. Stpd.)	21	22
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	21	22
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Ger. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	21	22
Japan 5% Sterling Loan, 1907	44½	44½
Japan 6% Sterling Loan, 1924	54	53½
German 7% International Loan, 1924	40¾	40
Chartered Bank of I.A. & C.	11¾	11¾
H.K. & S'hai Banking Corp. (Lon. Reg.)	87	87
H.K. & S'hai Banking Corp. (Col. Reg.)	89	89
Chinese Engineering & Mining (bearer)	14/	14/6
Chosen Corporation	8/-	8/-
Pekin Syndicate	2/- Nom.	2/- Nom.
S'hai Elec. Construction Co.	25/- Nom.	25/ Nom.
S'hai Waterworks Co. "A"	19 Nom.	19 Nom.
Union Insurance Society of Canton	30½ Nom.	30½ Nom.
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	18/9	20/7½
Allied Ironfounders	21/3	21/3
Assoc. & Elec. Industries	35/3	36/1½
Austin Motors, ord.	23/3	23/9
Cable & Wireless, New Form, ord.	45	46
British-American Tobacco (bearer)	98/9	98/9
Cammell Laird, ord.	7/9	7/9
Mexican Eagle	4/7½	4/7½
Courtaulds	35/4½	36/3
Distillers	98/	99/
Dunlop Rubber	27/9	29/1½
General Elec. (England)	70/9 ex-div.	72/10½
Guinness (A) Son & Co	110/6	113/
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	26/10½	27/6
Bristol Aeroplane	52/4½	52/10½
Imperial Chemical Indus	31/4½	31/6
Imperial Tobacco	133/1½	135/
Marks & Spencer "A"	84/1½	85/4½
Rolls Royce	96/3	95/
Leyland Motors	77/1½	79/7½
Tate & Lyle	75/1½	75/9
Turner & Newall	76/6 ex-div	78/3
United Steel	21/10½	22/3
Smethwick Drop Forgings	16/3	16/3
Armstrong Stevens, ord.	6/9	6/9
Pressed Steel, com	13/9 ex-div.	14/3
Vickers, ord.	20/10½	21/9
Woolworths	61/10½	62/4½
Anglo-Dutch	24/7½	25/9
Rubber Plantation Invest. Trust	25/	26/4½
Burma Corporation	8/3	8/6
Commonwealth Mining	1/10½	2/3
Marsman Investments	10/6	11/3
Randfontein Estates	33/9 ex-div	33/4½
Western Holdings	14/6	13/3
Sub-Nigel	215/ ex-div.	206/3
Tanami Gold Mining	6 d	6 d
Anglo-Iranian	83/1 ex-div	85/7½
Burmah	78/	80/ ex-rights
Shell Trans. & Trad. (bearer)	85/	86/10½

—*Reuter.*

Arab Guerillas Surprised By British Police

Jerusalem, June 22.

The most serious clash in recent weeks between Arabs and British police officers occurred on the northern frontier of Palestine yesterday when a group of Arab irregulars endeavouring to destroy the barbed-wire entanglements was surprised.

In the ensuing skirmish two Arabs were killed and severely wounded. Two Jewish police officers were also wounded in the encounter.—*Trans-Ocean.*

LOITERING CHARGE

Two unemployed Chinese admitted to a charge of loitering at Bonham Road, near the Ying Min-yun Terrace yesterday, when they appeared before Mr. W. J. Lockhart Smith at the Central Magistracy to-day, and were sentenced to three months' hard labour each.

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RETORTS TO PEACE PLEA

Hankow, June 22.

Replying this morning to the Peiping "Peace Feeler" the *Takungpao* says: Japan scored a success in the Sino-Japanese war of 1894, then in the Russo-Japanese War. They also captured Tsingtao from Germany during the Great War. All these victories were gained entirely through luck.

"In the War of 1894 Japan fought with the North China militarists, terminating the war after only a land battle. The Russo-Japanese War was terminated after only the preliminary stage of hostilities by the intervention of President Theodore Roosevelt. The Japanese capture of Tsingtao was considered an indication of a Japanese victory over Germany.

"Now Japan hopes to win this war by China accepting peace terms; but Japan is mistaken. We wish to warn General Ugaki that China will not accept a compromise. The war has only begun. China has completed preparations for a final decisive battle yet to come.

"The Chinese nation is united this time, and it is for Japan to seriously re-consider its China policy."—*Reuter.*

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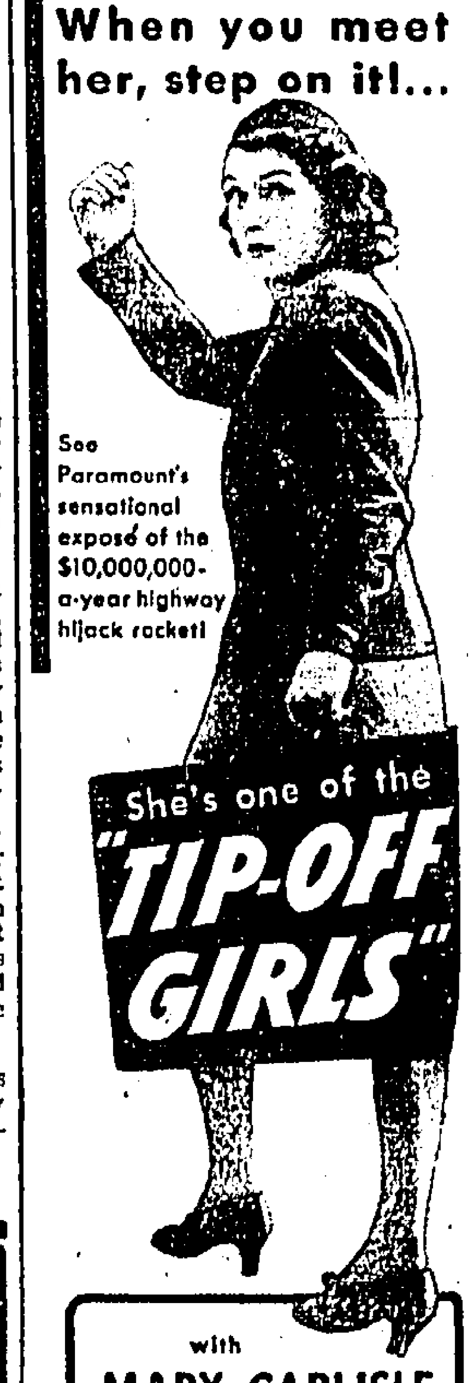

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—FRIDAY—

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Although there have been several reports lately of earthquakes in Europe, Central Asia, and other parts of the world seemingly indicating that earth tremors are becoming more frequent, actually this is not the case, according to the readings of the Hongkong Royal Observatory, which show that the number of earth tremors registered up to the end of May was below average.

Up to May 31, 1936, for example, 167 earth tremors were registered at the Royal Observatory. This year, during the same period, only 136 were recorded.

However, states Mr. B. D. Evans, they usually average a recording of one earthquake a day. Some are very slight. Others are very severe, but these latter usually occur in the Pacific belt where there is but little population, and as a result they pass off without very much publicity.

Usually the severest earthquakes occur in the Pacific Ocean. Another well known zone is that which stretches across the Himalayas. This is obvious when it is realised that earth tremors occur where there is very high land and very deep seas.

Although Hongkong is surrounded by high hills, they are insufficiently tall to create severe 'quakes. This is the main reason why Hongkong seldom feels earth tremors. For example, an earthquake was registered in Hongkong on June 16 last, and the earth here actually moved. But its movement was so slight and so slow that it was impossible for human beings to notice the effect. It needed a delicate instrument to record the movement. Actually the Colony moved one millimetre in 12 seconds.

SEVERE QUAKE RECORDED

Hamburg, June 21.

Shortly after midnight yesterday morning a severe earthquake was recorded by the instruments of the Hamburg Seismographical Station.

The epicentre of the disturbance was approximately 3,125 miles east of Hamburg, indicating that the quake occurred somewhere in the mountainous zone of Central Asia.—*Trans-Ocean.*

An official of the Hongkong Royal Observatory informed the *Telegraph* that shocks were recorded at intervals throughout the day on Monday. The shocks were too far distant for their epicentre to be determined in Hongkong.

14 Stowaways Discovered In Steamer

Boarded Ship In Swatow

When the s.s. Sandviken arrived here yesterday, its officers handed over to the police 14 stowaways, who had boarded the steamer in Swatow.

This morning the men were taken before Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistracy charged with being stowaways. With the exception of one whose case was remanded, they were fined $10 or 14 days hard labour. They were also ordered to pay $8 amends to the shipping company concerned.

AMERICAN STOWAWAY

A stowaway who had boarded the Naldera at Marseilles on the inward voyage to England was convicted at London and taken back by the same ship, it was learned on the arrival of the Naldera here to-day.

A passenger said that the stowaway was an American. On their arrival at Marseilles, on the way back to Hongkong, he was handed over to the French police, he said.

POST OFFICE.

INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due.
Saigon	Athos II	June 22.
Manila	Emp. of Canada	June 22.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 16th June.	Imperial Airways Plane	June 22.
Straits and Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 20th May and London Parcels—London date, 19th May	Naldera	June 22.
Japan	Rio de Janeiro Maru	June 22.
Java	Tjibadak	June 22.
Amoy and Swatow	Van Heutsz	June 22.
Japan	Jeypore	June 23.
Japan and Shanghai	Marechal Joffre	June 23.
Air Mail by "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 15th June.	Pan-American Airways Plane	June 23.
Japan	Atsuta Maru	June 24.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date 19th June	Imperial Airways Plane	June 24.
Japan and Shanghai	Rajputana	June 24.

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
Wednesday		
Swatow	Kingyuan	Wed., June 22, 4.30 p.m.
Hoihow	Produce	Wed., June 22, 4.30 p.m.
Air Mail for Chungking (via Hankow) by the "C.N.A.C. Airways Direct Service."	C.N.A.C. Plane	Wed., June 22. G.P.O. and K.P.O. Reg., June 22, 4.30 p.m. Ord., June 22, 5 p.m.
Air Mail for Sian, Lanchow, Changsha and Chengtu, etc. (via Hankow) by the "Eurasia Airways Service" (To further points by surface transport as Services permit).	Eurasia Plane	Wed., June 22. G.P.O. and K.P.O. Reg., June 22, 4.30 p.m. Ord., June 22, 5 p.m.
Thursday		
Fort Bayard and Haiphong	Jean Dupuis	Thurs., June 23, 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Naldera	Thurs., June 23, 10.30 a.m.
Kongmoon	Tai Lee	Thurs., June 23, 11 a.m.
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 3rd July.	Rio-de-Janeiro Maru	Thurs., June 23. G.P.O. and K.P.O. Reg., June 23, 1.30 p.m. Ord., June 23, 2 p.m.
Swatow and Amoy	Haiyang	Thurs., June 23, 2 p.m.
Saigon, *Ceylon *India, *East and *South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, July 20.	Marechal Joffre	Thurs., June 23. G. P. O. and K. P. O. Reg., June 23, 1.45 p.m. Ord., June 23, 2.30 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon India, East and South Africa	Rio de Janeiro Maru	Thurs., June 23, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow	Bremerhaven	Thurs., June 23, 4.30 p.m.
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, June 30.	Imperial Airways Plane	Thurs., June 23. G.P.O. and K.P.O. Reg., June 23, 5 p.m. Ord., June 23, 5 p.m.
Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu and U.S.A., by the "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—due San Francisco, 1st July.	Pan-American Airways Plane	Thurs., June 23. K.P.O. Reg., June 23, 5 p.m. Ord., June 23, 5 p.m. G.P.O. Reg., June 23, 5 p.m. Ord., June 24, 6 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *Europe via Vancouver B.C., (Parcels for Canada only)—due Vancouver B.C., 18th July and *Europe via Siberia.	Emp. of Canada	Thurs., June 23. G.P.O. and K.P.O. Parcels, June 23, 5 p.m. Reg., June 24, 9.15 a.m. Ord., June 24, 10 a.m.
Friday		
Samshui and Wuchow	Chung On	Fri., June 24, 8.15 a.m.
Kongmoon	On Lee	Fri., June 24, 10 a.m.
Swatow, *Shanghai and Tientsin	Sandviken	Fri., June 24, 12.30 p.m.
Swatow and Shanghai	Kiangsu	Fri., June 24, 4.30 p.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island—due Thursday Island, July 7.	Atsuta Maru	Fri., June 24. G. P. O. and K. P. O. Reg., June 24, 4.15 p.m. Ord., June 24, 5 p.m.
Straits, Sandakan, Ceylon, India, E. and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 22nd July.	Rajputana	Fri., June 24. G. P. O. and K. P. O. Parcels, June 24, 5 p.m. Reg., June 25, 9.40 a.m. Ord., June 25, 10.30 a.m.

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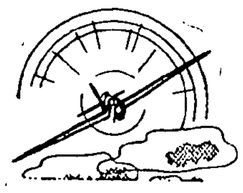

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Flood Tide Still Pours South-East

Waters Now 75 Miles Beyond Kaifeng

Chengchow, June 22.

The flood waters from the Yellow River have passed through Chowchinkow, about 75 miles south-east of Kaifeng, and are continuing to pour in a south-easterly direction.

Swollen by the flood waters, the Chin Lu River in east Honan is in danger of overflowing. Yenling and Fukou, two important cities lying between the Peiping-Hankow Railway and the Chin-Lu River, are inundated. The Chinese garrison troops and inhabitants are working feverishly to strengthen the dykes along the river.

The National Relief Commission has commissioned two delegates to Honan to extend urgent relief to the flood refugees.

Meanwhile, the Honan Provincial Government has issued instructions to all *hsien* west of the Peiping-Hankow Railway to give accommodation and relief to the homeless and destitute.—*Central News.*

RUSH RELIEF

Hankow, June 22.

The Yellow River floods were discussed last night at an informal conference of Government leaders, including Dr. H. H. Kung, the Finance Minister.

It was decided to rush relief for the flood refugees and also to hasten work on the repair of the dykes.—*Reuter.*

MENACE NOT REMOVED

Hankow, June 22.

According to Chinese military sources there has been no change in the military situation created in Honan by the Yellow River floods.

The water level of the Yellow River has dropped by about 18 inches, but there can be no talk at present of the floods subsiding, as the rainy period generally begins in July.

Japanese aeroplanes have been parachuting a large number of rubber boats to Japanese soldiers trapped by the floods at Chungmow, on the Lunghai Railway.—*Trans-Ocean.*

Drastic Trade Reform Seems Japan Policy

Tokyo, June 21.

Business circles expect that the Government will announce on June 23 a programme for controlling the production of munitions and the distribution of industrial products.

Conscription of industrial products will probably include cotton purchases from overseas. It is believed, also, that the Government will announce an expansion of industrial output.—*United Press.*

RECITAL POSTPONED

Owing to the temporary break down of the Hammond Organ the Trio Recital which was to have been given by Miss Prue Lewis, Signor Ettore Pellegatti and Mr. Lindsay A. Lafford in St. Mary's Church, Causeway Bay this evening, has been postponed until Wednesday next, June 29 at 9.15 p.m.

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SIXTEEN MEN IN GAMBLING DEN

A raid by the police on a house at Hollywood Road yesterday, resulted in the arrest of 16 Chinese, all of whom were charged before Mr. W. J. Lockhart Smith at the Central Magistracy this morning.

The keeper of the gaming house, named Chan Fong, 28, unemployed, failed to appear to answer the charge, had his bail of $30 estreated. Fourteen absentees who were charged with gambling at the establishment had their bail of $3 each estreated. Ho Po was fined $2 for gambling, being the only man present.

The sum of $4.90 was ordered to be donated to the Poor Box.

GAMBLING HOUSE

A fine of $50 with the alternative of a month's imprisonment, was imposed on Cheung Lan, 52, unemployed, by Mr. W. J. Lockhart Smith at the Central Magistracy this morning for keeping a flat at Lyndhurst Terrace as a common gaming house.

"HUMANITY BOND" ISSUE

The Chinese Government has decided to float $100,000,000 worth of "Humanity Bonds" for the relief of war refugees. Only $30,000,000 worth of bonds will be issued at present.—*Reuter.*

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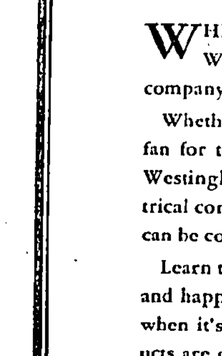

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ANNOUNCEMENT

The wedding of Mr. G. W. Giffen and Miss E. E. Hadley will take place at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, on Monday, June 27, 1938, at 4 p.m. and not at 4.30 p.m. as previously announced. Invitations are not being sent but all friends are cordially invited to the ceremony and to the reception afterwards at Kingsville, Carnarvon Road, Kowloon.

The Hongkong Telegraph.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 1938.

IS APPEASEMENT WORKING?

When the Covenant of the League of Nations was signed it was felt that the nations were about to embark on a new and higher standard of international morality. The bad old days of back-door diplomacy and intrigue were replaced by "open agreements, openly arrived at." The arbitrament of war was renounced and in its place there was to be conciliation and arbitration. Every nation was to be guaranteed against external aggression. International co-operation was to replace jingoistic nationalism. An era of all-round disarmament was to replace the disastrous competition in armaments.

For some years after the Covenant came into force these high hopes were fulfilled to a surprising extent. Then one principle was abandoned in 1931 and since then the whole edifice has been crumbling with alarming rapidity. To-day international morality has touched low levels undreamed of before the Great War. The result is chaos.

"Can the world get back to that higher standard of morality that existed prior to the Manchuria incident? That seems to be the crucial question. If this *is* the essential problem of international affairs at the present moment then clearly any proposed settlement must be examined from the standpoint of whether or not it contributes to the rebuilding of a code of international morality, or whether, in fact, it makes more difficult that task. It is when the Anglo-Italian agreement is viewed in that light that many who welcome any genuine attempt at appeasement are somewhat perturbed by certain elements in it," writes Mr. Hebe Spaull, the Geneva commentator. Great Britain and Italy seem to place great confidence in this agreement, but it has made no tremendous impression upon the rest of the world, and the high hopes held by many that it would hasten an end of intervention in Spain have been dashed. It was a stipulation that the pact should not come into force until the foreign volunteers had been withdrawn from the Spanish arena, and, it may be guessed, it was Great Britain's idea that the removal of intervention would see a more rapid settlement of the Spanish problem. The fact that Britain demanded this withdrawal by Italy is significant, indicating that without this concession on the part of Rome, the benefits of the agreement were not balanced. There have been no very striking efforts made to remove the volunteer units by either side. It seems likely that a further compromise must be offered if the Italo-British agreement is going to have a chance to bear fruit—before the end of Spanish hostilities and before Italy has had her way in Spain. Lord Plymouth is trying to arrange an armistice—and this, it is considered, might allow the implementation of the agreement. Such an arrangement will seem to some unsatisfactory, as it still fails to remove the danger apparent in the continued presence of foreign troops on Spanish soil. It is bound to be said, if Britain tolerates this compromise, that this is just another instance of diplomatic retreat. And some will look upon it as worse than retreat. One commences to feel, with Spaull, that this treaty business opens the door to diplomatic sharp practice.

Personalities of Old Hongkong

The Hon. Mr. William Henry Adams

Printer, Reporter, Editor, Barrister, Politician, And Chief Justice

By T. Paul Gregory

FEW individuals in the history of Hongkong can better deserve the designation of "self-made" than the Hon. William Henry Adams, Attorney General and subsequently Chief Justice of the Colony from 1859 to 1863. It was entirely through his own efforts that he rose in the world and his career showed that he was a man of considerable ability and initiative. He was in turn, compositor, proof-reader, reporter, sub-editor, editor, newspaper proprietor, barrister, Member of Parliament, and ultimately Attorney General of Hongkong.

William Henry Adams was born at Normancross, Huntingdonshire, England in the year 1809. He was the son of Thomas Adams, Esq., a man in poor circumstances, so that he was unable to provide his son with the advantages which would aid him in his struggle with the world. Young Adams studied a few years in the village school and then was put to work in order to help support the family. The job that he procured would not prove very attractive to most modern lads; for it was that of a printer's "devil" in the village print shop. After some years' apprenticeship, he became a journeyman compositor and travelled around the country in search of employment. His work as a type-setter and later as a proof reader in the various newspaper offices in England and Wales aroused in him an interest in the profession of journalism.

His experience in reading proof had taught him the essentials of newspaper style, and he now felt that he could turn out "copy" at least as good as that which he was compelled to proof-read, and consequently his next step was to secure a job as a reporter. He was now in what he termed his "seventh heaven," and henceforth progress was rapid. He also became interested in the study of the law, and managed to combine his interests so that he served as legal reporter for the *Morning Herald*. Although, he eventually rose to be a sub-editor, and later editor of the paper, the law now became his prime interest, and at length his spare time reading enabled him to become a barrister. He was called to the Bar of the Middle Temple in 1843, and as an advocate soon acquired a lucrative practice. However, he did not desert his first interest—Journalism—but continued in it more ardently than ever; for now he was able to carry out the dreams of his earlier years and to purchase the very paper on which he spent so much time. As a newspaper publisher and a successful barrister, he was now in a position to make his influence felt, and it is not surprising that he successfully contested Boston in 1857 and sat in the House of Commons as its representative until 1859.

His name was now well known throughout Britain, and with Mr. T. C. Anstey's dismissal from the Attorney Generalship of Hongkong confirmed by the Secretary of State for the Colonies, Queen Victoria appointed him in his stead.

Mr. Adams arrived in Hongkong by the P. & O. steamer Malabar on September 7, 1859. The newly appointed Governor, Sir Hercules Robinson was incidentally a passenger on the same boat, and it is significant that their association on the voyage inaugurated a warm friendship which was to influence the course of affairs in the Colony.

Popular A.G.

The first appearance of the new Attorney General in the Supreme Court was on September 12. It was noteworthy from the fact that Mr. Adams initiated a new practice of opening court promptly at 10 o'clock a.m. instead of postponing the session, as had his predecessor, until noon. His insistance on punctuality greatly impressed the residents of the Colony and the Press commented favourably upon it, expressing confidence in his firmness and ability. Mr. Adams was now fifty years old, and perhaps his years of toil had somewhat prematurely aged him. Nevertheless, he proceeded to show his mettle and distinguished himself for his impartiality and fairness in administering justice. The local residents were delighted with him; abuses which had been allowed to remain ever since the founding of the Colony were fearlessly abolished and Hongkong was no longer regarded at Home as the "place where libel flourished and corruption was rampant."

The Governor Sir Hercules Robinson felt that he had in Adams the very man to assist him and he at once named him to a seat on the Executive Council. As a member of the Governor's council, the Attorney General rendered himself invaluable, and his advice helped to assure for Sir Hercules a smooth, unruffled administration.

His appointment as Attorney General was, however, but a temporary one, and on April 4, 1860, the Governor nominated Mr. Adams to be the Chief Justice of the Colony. This change in official position was due to the naming of John Smale to serve on the Bench as Attorney General. In the meantime, the climate of Hongkong did not prove to be conducive to the health of the new Chief Justice. His constitution, which apparently had never been strong, suddenly became greatly impaired, and Mr. Adams, to the great regret of the residents of the Colony, began to entertain thoughts of going back to England. However, he stayed here as long as he could, and it was not until April 1, 1863 that he departed for home on sick leave. Every one was reluctant to see him go, and all sections of the community including the Chinese inhabitants presented addresses to him, hoping for the speedy recovery of his health and his prompt return to the Colony.

Early Death

The Hon. W. H. Adams, the Chief Justice, who had but shortly left the Colony died at the residence of his son, Captain Adams, at Plas Llysssyn, Carno, Montgomeryshire, Wales, on August 29, 1865 at the age of 56 years. He had been in failing health for some time, and the news of his passing which reached Hongkong on October 26, "cast quite a gloom over the place where he had been much liked." A local paper alluding to his death, thus spoke of him:

"It is almost too painful for us to speak of his many estimable qualities, at a time when admiration ought properly to give way to grief. There cannot be two opinions as to the ability with which he discharged his office. A juster, a more conscientious, or an abler man never sat upon the Bench in this Colony. Every one must admit that his judgments were delivered with care and with great undeniable wisdom. He was one of the best men that ever came to China, or left it."

GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty

"He'd be quite a catch, daughter—he's my only salesman on a straight salary!!"

CLEMENCE DANE asks

What is a Wife Worth?

HOW much is a wife worth—in cash?

How much is a husband worth—in cash?

I have not been reading Edgar Wallace. I am not quoting the complaints of *Bosambo*, nor the judgments of the adorable *Sanders*. These are English questions asked by men and women in the past year.

Does a husband own his wife? It would seem so. In the past 40 years her value has been put as high as £25,000, as low as one farthing, and the thief has had to pay for making away with such valuable or negligible property.

Here, on the face of it, is an odd state of affairs, and it would be easy, by collecting a list of damage cases, to work up a most eloquent tirade on "man-made laws" and "another injustice to women."

Out of Date

BUT before doing so let us find out just what this apparently insulting business of damages really means; for there's genbrally common sense and justice behind the oddest rulings of English law. The trouble is that even justice can get out of date.

What are damages?

"Damages," to quote the late Lord Birkenhead, "are compensation for the loss which the spouse who brings the petition has sustained."

Damages were once a necessity. When primitive man paid cows for a wife he naturally expected to have them returned with interest if he were cheated by his living bargain.

Nearer our own times it became an unwritten law that part, at any rate, of the damages paid by the co-respondent was settled on the wife or her children. And this, too, was common sense and decency in times when a married woman was regarded as *Petruchio* regarded *Katharine*.

"She is my goods, my chattels: she is my house . . .
My horse, my ox, my ass, my anything."

Married women had no property. What was to become of them if they were deserted by their lovers? Damages was a merciful safeguard against starvation or the streets.

But to-day women are property-owning citizens, capable of self-support. The necessity for other support has vanished.

Business Partnership

THEN what should become of the damages? Should the petitioner himself retain them? The idealist cries: "No!"

But then the idealist forgets that nowadays marriage is first of all a business partnership.

It costs money to get married: it costs money to rear children: it costs money to keep a home going. The average husband has sunk his capital, his business training, and his wages in the partnership; the average wife has sunk her capital, her time, her work, or wages in the partnership. It is a going concern.

One is tempted to say that such a husband and wife have no more right to leave each other in the lurch than two members of any other going concern. It is difficult to avoid the conclusion that if the partnership is broken the money losses should be made good by the breaker of the partnership.

It is not mere chance that one husband recovers £1,000, another a mere farthing. The law tries to assess the damages according to certain principles.

The law asks: "What has the husband lost in hard cash? His housekeeper has gone: what is her work worth to him?" Or a husband is a cripple entirely dependent on his wife's nursing. The damages in that case would be very heavy.

But the husband has lost not only his housekeeper but the comfort and society of a wife—as the lawyers say, "her consortium." If, however, the wife is a baggage or a drunkard that "consortium" is obviously valueless. The husband is well rid of her to the luckless third person in the triangle.

And here comes a new point. Should anyone be responsible for damages but the breaker of the partnership? Is it fair to penalise a third person who is under no bond or obligation to the injured party?

Is it fair that the law should at all weigh the co-respondent's behaviour? The law asks: "Did he know that the respondent was married, and did he become acquainted with her through meeting her as her husband's guest in her own home?" If he did, the chances are that the damages would be higher.

The injury to the husband's feelings—for which he is also entitled to compensation—would, it is argued, be greater.

In both enticement and divorce cases the damages are calculated in much the same way. But is it a sane way?

And here comes a new point. Is anyone responsible but the breaker of the partnership? Is it fair to penalise a third person who is under no bond or obligation to the injured party?

They Choose to Change

THIS squeezing of damages out of the co-respondent suggest that grown-up people nowadays can be enticed away from their partners as if they were children or half-wits.

Can they? I don't believe it. The average man when he leaves his wife knows what he's doing. The average woman isn't a Trilby, hypnotised away from sanity. Men and women leave their mates because they choose to change. They themselves break the partnership.

Compensation, then, for the break-up of a home or actual money losses seems reasonable. It seems less reasonable, however, for a husband to lament the loss of "expectations" of his wife's fortune, and absolutely inexplicable that he should claim compensation for damage to his pride and happiness.

To lose by death or to lose by change of heart is one of the risks

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ACCUSES MACAO OFFICIALS

Grave Charges Of Narcotic Dealings Made In Geneva

Geneva, June 22.

Allegations that Government officials in Macao were implicated in the sale and distribution of opium in North China were made by the U.S. Government representative on the League of Nations' Opium Advisory Board, Mr. Stuart J. Fuller, at yesterday's meeting.

Several tons of Persian opium had been distributed by way of Macao, Mr. Fuller alleged.

Mr. Fuller's information was apparently obtained by U.S. Secret Service agents operating in the Far East.—*United Press.*

UGAKI CONSIDERS WAR DECLARATION

(Continued from Page 1.)

Member for Coventry, who opened the debate for the Opposition.

The Prime Minister said he thought there would be general agreement with the remarks which had fallen from Mr. Noel-Baker upon the horrors of modern warfare, and regarding the practice of bombing from the air.

Mr. Chamberlain also accepted Mr. Noel-Baker's remarks that it was wrong to lay down that new weapons made new international laws, but he thought he must qualify that agreement with the proviso that new weapons might introduce new conditions which would require, if not a re-casting, at least an elaboration of existing laws.

No Code Accepted

"The fact is, there is at present no code of international law respecting aerial warfare that is generally accepted," the Premier declared.

"There are certain rules of International Law established for sea and land warfare, and these rules, or the principles underlying them, are applicable to aerial warfare.

"Unfortunately, these rules do not meet the case which has to be met to-day."

The Premier reminded the House that the British Government was engaged upon a careful survey of the whole position, with a view to formulating a practical scheme which could be put before other countries for acceptance or modification, with a view to reaching some international understanding on the rules of aerial warfare.

There were at any rate three rules, or three principles, or International Law which, he thought they might say, were appricable to aerial warfare as fully as they were to war on land or sea.

The first rule was that it was against International Law to bomb civilians as such, and to make deliberate attacks on civilian populations. That undoubtedly was a violation of International Law.

Must Be Military Objectives

Secondly, targets must be legitimate military objectives and be capable of identification. Thirdly, reasonable care must be taken in attacking these objectives.

Those three general rules they could all accept, and the Government did accept, but obviously when they came to practice there were considerable difficulties.

Mr. Chamberlain declared emphatically that he could not too strongly condemn the idea that it should be part of the deliberate policy of a nation to try to win a war by demoralising the civilian population through the process of bombing from the air.

"That is absolutely contrary to International Law, and in my opinion it is in reality a mistaken policy" said Mr. Chamberlain. "I do not believe that deliberate attacks on civilian population will ever win a war for those who make them."

After referring to the difficulties which arose in the practical application of the general rules he had enunciated, Mr. Chamberlain repeated the wish of the British Government to produce practical proposals before approaching other Governments on the question.

"I am bound to say that, in the opinion of the British Government, far too many incidents had occurred, both in China and Spain, where these general rules had been plainly disregarded," the Premier concluded.
—*British Wireless.*

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SEAMEN TELL OF THREATS OF MURDER

(Continued from Page 1.)

only time. He was on the same terms with Dickinson as with Dwyer.

The incident in the mess deck when Humphreys said he saw Dickinson interfering with Dwyer, who was asleep, took place round about midnight on a Sunday and when the ship was alongside a jetty in Singapore. He was wearing a singlet and shorts and Dwyer was attired in tropical rig.

It was about half an hour after he had been awakened by someone coming ashore that he noticed the incident. He watched for a while before shouting, whereupon Dickinson ran away.

Of the people using that particular mess on the night in question, he noticed A. B. Palmer, Dwyer and Dickinson.

Mr. D'Almada: You must have had some object in interfering. What did you shout?—I cannot remember. I think I only made a noise, whereupon Dickinson ran away. After scaring Dickinson I told Dwyer of the incident and he did not seem surprised at all.

Had Dwyer any bed clothes on?—No, he was sleeping on certain bedclothes.

HAND UNDER BEDDING

Then why should Dickinson put his hand underneath his bedclothes?—he just put his hand under.

Further questioned, witness said he struck two or three matches, because Dickinson crawled under the table to get away.

Counsel. You made no mention of this at the Magistracy?—No

Did you wake up Palmer?—Yes, he told me to shut up.

What made you go to the flat with Dwyer?—Just an impulse.

Have you been there before?—Yes, my locker is there.

Were you fully dressed when Dickinson entered the flat?—Yes, but Dwyer was naked. Dwyer was two or three seconds ahead of me and not two or three minutes as I had said in the Police Court.

In other words, you had no hesitation in following Dwyer?—No.

How long after you had entered the flat did Dickinson come?—About two or three minutes after.

At the Magistracy you said two or three seconds, which is correct?—I can't say which is correct, but I think it seemed like two or three seconds.

ALLEGED DISCREPANCY

And at the Board of Enquiry the interval you placed between your arrival and Dickinson's was five minutes?—Yes. Witness added that Dickinson was behind the locker flat when he went in.

Why didn't you mention this before? I suggest that you mentioned it now in order to square your evidence?—No.

Did you say at the Enquiry that when Dickinson arrived you thought Dwyer had a tropical singlet on?—Yes.

That statement was made in answer to a series of questions and you had time to think over the incident?—I did not think of the shooting at all until two or three days later because I was then in the cells for deserting the ship at Sydney.

Now you say he was naked?—He was naked when I went there.

Was he naked when Dickinson arrived?—He must have been.

But you said at the Enquiry he had a singlet on?—He had a singlet on when I left.

You cannot reconcile these two statements?—On receiving no answer, Counsel commented that the reason he checked up these discrepancies was that he was going to suggest to witness that his story of the incident was entirely untrue. Witness, Counsel added, had given evidence at three separate hearings and had contradicted himself on numerous occasions, besides stating things in Court which he had never mentioned before.

SHOWED HIM AMMUNITION

In answer to further questions, witness said that after he had enquired about the disease he was suffering from, Dwyer invited him to his locker, where he showed him some ammunition. He could not say how many cartridges there were, as Dwyer had his hand over the ammunition and showed him only the base.

Mr. D'Almada.—I put it to you that Dwyer had never slept on the table in Singapore?—He had.

I put it to you that that table was used by other members and not by him?—I disagree, though he did not sleep there every night.

I put it to you that the whole of your evidence in regard to this incident is entirely untrue?—It is true.

And there was no such incident as you had stated that Dwyer showed you some ammunition?—There was.

In reply to His Lordship, witness said that to the best of his belief, Dickinson was very popular.

MEANT TO GET EVEN

Able Seaman C. J. M. Smith testified that on one occasion, while the ship was in Singapore, Dwyer, who appeared upset, told him that Dickinson had given him a very hard time and that he meant to get even with him. Asked how he was going to get even, Dwyer said as he was a member of the rifle team, he could easily get a round of ammunition, and that he was going to shoot Dickinson.

Cross-examined, witness said Dwyer was not normal when he spoke to him.

For that reason, I suppose you didn't take the threats seriously at all?—I took them to be idle threats.

Able Seaman E. J. Fisher said Dickinson was a very cool fellow and a good sportsman. He was also a very level headed fellow and took every day of his life in his stride, and was not argumentative. Dwyer, whom he had known for six months, had spoken to him about Dickinson, saying he was bearing down on him.

Dwyer also said: "I will get that b—," referring to Dickinson.

Mr. D'Almada: I think you also heard Dwyer say he would get another b—, Degans?—Yes.

Threats like that are very common in the lower deck?—Yes.

You heard that every day?—Yes.

INTENDED TO SHOOT HIM

Stoker D. Regan said that while he was in the New York Hotel in Sydney, Dwyer, who spoke as if he were sober, spoke to him of people whom he disliked, mentioning Dickinson and a few others. About Dickinson, Dwyer said he did not like him and that he intended to shoot him.

Cross-examined, witness said he spent three hours in the hotel with Dwyer, during which time they had drinks.

It was usual to talk of one's likes and dislikes on board ship and to hear threats being uttered?—Yes.

In fact the only reason why you remember this particular incident in connection with Dwyer was because some days afterwards Dickinson in fact was shot?—Yes.

And Dwyer did say he disliked other people too?—Yes, but I don't remember him making any threats against these.

Re-examined, witness said he had heard a good many threats before but had never heard one about shooting.

AN IDLE THREAT

His Lordship: Do you regard the threat as a boast?—I regard it as an idle threat.

Corroborative evidence was given by Leading Stoker J. Morris, who added that Dwyer was slightly under the influence of drink at the time. Dwyer also mentioned the name of another person whom he disliked, a seaman called Pepper. The proprietor of the hotel was present and on hearing what Dwyer had said, he told him: "You are a young man, don't be foolish. Forget all about it."

Cross-examined, witness admitted having stated at the Board of Enquiry that Dwyer, on being told to forget it, appeared to forget it.

That Dickinson used to give Dwyer some hard jobs round about last Christmas was testified to by Ordinary Seaman J. R. Howstan, who said that accused and deceased did not like each other.

When they were at Sydney, Dwyer told him that he hated Dickinson as he had given him a lot of hard jobs and that he would shoot him from the booms. At that time, witness thought Dwyer would not do such a thing.

SAID, "PUSH HIM OVERBOARD"

Able Seaman F. A. McKay testified that towards the end of April Dwyer asked him if it was possible to commit murder on H.M. Ship and get away with it. "I did not," said witness, "pay any attention to it but passed a remark that if he wanted to get rid of anybody, he was to push him overboard as I did not want the trouble of sewing up bodies again." Witness explained that there had been one or two natural deaths on the Dorsetshire and it was his job to assist the sailmaker in sewing up the bodies.

Dwyer also asked him if it was possible to get a gun in Sydney, and he replied that the authorities could trace the registration number. Dwyer appeared to be serious and was perfectly sober.

Cross-examined, witness said different people slept on the mess table in question on different nights, but mostly Degans and Roberts.

The case is proceeding.

TILTMAN CONDEMNS CANTON BOMBINGS, SALUTES BRAVE

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ordered, permitted and persisted in this murder compaign. For them it is impossible to feel anything but profound contempt. Even to-day when, thanks to the neutral, impartial evidence of consular officials, doctors and newspaper correspondents, the whole world knows the truth, Japanese Admirals and Spokesmen still talk about hitting "military objectives" when actually their bombs have demolished English-owned schools and small homes. By so doing they have crimsoned the Sun-flag with a stain which it will take generations to erase."

Mr. Tiltman added that no praise could be too great for the calm courage with which the people of Canton, from General Wu Teh-chen, Governor of Kwangtung, to the poorest coolie, were facing the hours of supreme trial.

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LOCAL WEATHER FORECAST

The temperature in Hongkong this morning was up by three degrees to 86, while humidity registered 73 per cent. Maximum temperature yesterday was 89 and minimum last night 81.

Only .05 inch of rain fell during the past 24 hours, bringing the year's total to 24.24 inches against an average of 34.10 inches.

Local forecast is:—South winds, moderate, fair generally with local showers.

JAPANESE ADMIT GRAVE SITUATION IN SHANSI

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tacks on the Japanese units east of Chengchow.

The Chinese are reported to be besieging five or six hundred Japanese troops who are trapped inside the city walls of Chungmow, where the flood waters are three miles wide and four feet deep.

The only method by which the trapped Japanese can receive supplies is by air.—*Reuter.*

Forced To Retire

Hankow, June 22.

Following a clash north-west of Yushih, an important city in the flood area south of Kaifeng, the Japanese forces were forced on Monday to retire within the city walls, where they are now besieged by flood and enemy alike.—*Reuter.*

Chinese Ready For Enemy

Hankow, June 22.

The breathing spell afforded to the Chinese armies by the Yellow River floods is being feverishly used by the Chinese to reorganise and take up new positions for the defence of Hankow from the south, in addition to the defence positions already taken against an attack along the Yangtse River.

The new Chinese position is said to be formed more or less in a straight line running diagonally across Honan Province from Kinghsien, 35 miles west of Chengchow on the Lunghai Railway, through Hsuchang, on the Chengchow-Hankow Railway, and south-easterly to Kushih, where south Honan joins Anhwei province.

Behind this front line a second line has been formed, running diagonally through Honan through Singyang on the Chengchow-Hankow Railway. Troops are already in position along this second line, prepared to act as a nucleus round which the armies retreating from the first line can take up positions should the occasion arise.

Powerful Positions

Behind this second line is still another line of defence, running in a semi-circle from Wusheng, through Naching and across the southern bank of the Yangtse, where a major stand will be attempted. This third line will be stocked with fresh troops, supported by the newly organised artillery and mechanised units.

Guarding the flanks of these three main lines are two forces, one running northward along the Lunghai Railway between Kunghsien and Tungkwan, and southward from Tungkwan along the Tapishan Mountains, and the other to the south, running southward from Jushih to Kaukiang, where the biggest boom is placed across the Yangtse River.

60 Divisions In Line

It is stated that the total number of troops employed in the defence of Hankow exceeds 60 divisions.

It is impossible to obtain any official figures of the newly organised Chinese artillery and machanised units, but information from usually reliable sources indicates that the organisation of 30 artillery regiments has been completed. The Chinese Army is also reported to have recently obtained 1,200 new tanks.

The new artillery units will be equipped with 380 field pieces from Soviet Russia and another 300 pieces from other countries. The Soviet guns are 72 millimetre field guns. In addition there are some six inch guns.

The tanks are mainly light and medium weight vehicles of four, five, seven and nine tons.

While there is no doubt but that these new guns and tanks will be used in the defence of Hankow, it is reliably learned that only part of the newly arrived armaments will be flung into battle, many of them being held in reserve for a possible later battle in western Hunan.—*Reuter.*

Chinese Check Attackers

Hankow, June 22.

Heavy movements of Japanese troops and supplies along the Tientsin-Pukow railway from Hsuchow to Nanking are apparently being made by the Japanese for the forthcoming operations in the Yangtse area.

Meanwhile, Japanese forces in western Anhwei are launching their main attack on Taihu, south-west of Chienshan. The Chinese forces have evacuated Chienshan and are now holding positions in the hills between that city and Taihu.

One Japanese detachment advancing along the highway appeared at a point 30 miles from Taihu but was repulsed, according to a Chinese military *communique* which says that Chinese reinforcements have already arrived in the Taihu sector.

The Chinese are now launching a counter-attack on the Japanese at Chienshan.—*Reuter.*

Japanese Try To Pierce Boom

Several Japanese warships succeeded yesterday in making their way up the Yangtse to within a short distance of the boom thrown across the river at Matang.

Several hundred Japanese troops were landed on both banks of the river with the object of attacking the Chinese defending the boom.

Fierce fighting is also reported to be in progress north of Matang.—*Trans-Ocean.*

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7.28 Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra.

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8.00 Time, Weather and Announcements.

8.03 Reginald Foort (Organ) and Sam Browne (Baritone).

Sleep, My Little One (Lullaby—Hautzik—Riesenfeld); In The Chapel In The Moonlight (Hill)....Reginald Foort at the B. B. C. Theatre Organ; Have You Forgotten So Soon (Gilbert and Nicholls); Talking Through My Heart (From 'Big Broadcast of 1937') ....Sam Browne; Reminiscences Of Friml; Intro:—Indian Love Call; The Mounties; Chanson; The Door Of My Dreams; Rose Marie; March Of The Vagabonds; Only a Rose; L'amour toujours l'amour; Serenade ....Reginald Foort at the Organ of The Parmount Theatre, London; Gee, Oh Gosh, I'm Gratefull (Nesbitt, Bros. and Carr); What's Good For The Goose, Is Good For The Gander (Friend)....Sam Browne and Girl Friend with Two Pianos; "Broadway Melody Of 1938"—Selection; Intro:—Your Broadway and my Broadway; Yours and mine; Everybody sing.... Reginald Foort at the B.B.C. Theatre Organ.

8.30 London Relay—"Topical Gazette."

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9.30 London Relay—The News.

9.55 London Relay—'The Northumberland Plate'.

A commentary on the race from Gosforth Park, Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

10.15 A Variety Programme with Sandy Powell, The Mills Brothers, Greta Keller and Bing Crosby.

Pennies From Heaven (From the Film); Let's Call A Heart A Heart (From 'Pennies From Heaven').... Bing Crosby with Georgie Stoll and His Orchestra; Sandy's First Baby—Humorous Sketch ....Sandy Powell and Company; London Rhythm; Solitude...The Mills Brothers (Four Boys and a Guitar); Take My Heart (Ahlert, Young); Would You? (From 'San Francisco')....Greta Keller with Orchestra Accomp.; Dear Old Girl; Just One Word Of Consolation ....Bing Crosby and the Three Cheers (Piano Accomp. by Ivan Ditmars); Swing Is The Thing (From 'The Blackbirds of 1936'); Long About Midnight....The Mills Brothers (Four Boys and a Guitar); Song Of The Islands (Arr. King); Aloha Oe (Liliuokalani, Kennedy).. ..Bing Crosby with Dick McIntire and his Harmony Hawaiians.

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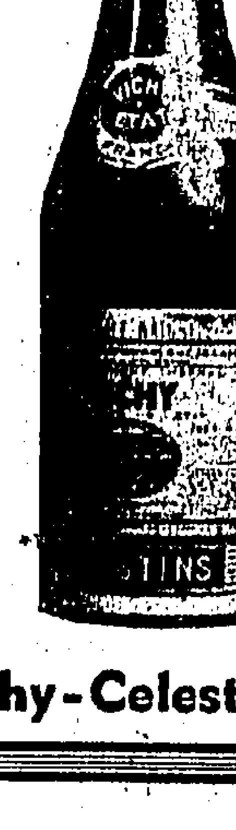

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THE NEW LIGHT BREW
EWO PILSNER

ONE MAJOR "CASUALTY" AT WIMBLEDON YESTERDAY

CHILEAN GIRL DEFEATED IN SECOND ROUND

MISS GEM HOAHING HAS A SUCCESSFUL DEBUT

The only major "casualty" at Wimbledon during the second day's play yesterday was the defeat of Senorita Anito Lizana of Chile, one of the eight "seeded" women players, in the second round of the singles. She suffered the same fate as she did last year at the hands of Madame Mathieu, the French champion, being beaten by 6-4, 6-4.

The Frenchwoman remained at the baseline throughout the encounter and returned everything deep, thus giving the Chilean girl few chances of exploiting her famous drop shot.

All the "seeded" women survived the first round. Mrs. Sperling won her tie against Mlle. Dovac, Miss Helen Jacobs beat Miss Mary Whitmarsh, Miss Scriven beat Miss Rita Jarvis, Mrs. Fabyan beat Fraulein Enger, Mlle. Jedrzejowska beat Miss Dorothy Stevenson, while Mrs. Helen Wills Moody drew a bye.

Miss Gem Hoahing, the Chinese girl, making her debut at Wimbledon, played like a veteran, displaying a forceful service and hard forehand drives. She forced Miss Middleton, her opponent, into errors and won the first set by 6-3. Miss Middleton speeded up her game in the second set, driving well on both wings, forcing the midget Chinese girl to run all over the court.

Miss Hoahing was outplayed in this set, but she came back strongly to take the final one with the loss of only one game.

CHINESE BEATEN

The Chinese men's doubles pair, W. C. Choy and J. H. Ho, were outplayed by the Yugoslav Davis Cuppers, Kukuljevic and Palada, who won by 6-3, 6-3, 6-0.

Kukuljevic and Palada proved a fine combination. The former's fast serving and the latter's smashing network were too good for the Chinese, who lacked combination. Choy was the better of the pair, serving hard and lobbing skilfully.

Kho Sin-kie, China's foremost player, in partnership with Lyttelton-Rogers of Ireland, beat M. D. Deloford and C. M. Jones, the young British pair, by 6-4, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3.

Donald Budge and Gene Mako, defending champions of the men's doubles, got through fairly comfortably at the expense of Borman and Geelhand of Belgium by 6-3, 6-4, 6-4. That veteran French combination, Jean Borotra and Jacques Brugnon, beat Cooper and Peters, of England, by 10-8, 6-1, 6-3.

H.R.H. The Duchess of Kent was among the spectators in the afternoon's matches.

Yesterday's Wimbledon Results

The following were the results of matches played at Wimbledon yesterday.

WOMEN'S SINGLES

Mrs. Sperling (Denmark) beat Mlle. Hela Dovac (Yugoslavia) 6-1, 6-2.

Miss Helen Jacobs (America) beat Miss Mary Whitmarsh (England) 6-0, 6-1.

Miss Margaret Scriven (England) beat Miss Rita Jarvis (England) 6-2, 6-4.

Miss Dorothy Bundy (America) beat Miss Pamela Morrison (England) 6-2, 6-2.

Mrs. Sarah Palfrey Fabyan (America) beat Fraulein Giesela Enger (Germany) 6-1, 6-3.

Mlle. Jedrzejowska (Poland) beat Miss Dorothy Stevenson (Australia) 6-1, 3-6, 6-3.

Mrs. Helen Wills Moody (America) received a bye.

Miss Gem Hoahing (China) beat Miss Middleton (England) 6-3, 3-6, 6-1.

Miss Freda James (England) beat Miss Evelyn Dearman (England) 6-2, 8-6.

Miss Thelma Coyne (Australia) beat Miss Billie Yorke (England) 7-5, 6-1.

Miss Gracyn Wheeler (America) beat Miss C. M. Burrows (England) 6-3, 6-0.

SECOND ROUND

Miss Alice Marble (America) beat Miss Mary Cootes (America) 6-0, 6-2.

Miss Kay Stammers (England) beat Mrs. Peggy Mitchell (England), 6-3, 6-2.

Madame Mathieu (France) beat Senorita Anita Lizana (Chile) 6-4, 6-4.

MEN'S DOUBLES

Anderson and Nelson (America) beat M. J. Condon (England) and L. E. J. King (Australia) 3-6, 6-0, 6-3, 6-2.

Edward Avory and Harold Lee (England) beat Bill Robertson (America) and Dr. Daniel Prenn (Germany) 6-2, 6-4, 6-4.

Don Budge and Gene Mako (America) beat Deborman and Geelhand (Belgium) 6-3, 6-4, 6-4.

Kukuljevic and Palada (Yugoslavia) beat W. C. Choy and J. H. Ho (China) 6-3, 6-3, 6-4.

Kho Sin-kie (China) and Lyttelton-Rogers (Ireland) beat M. D. Deloford and C. M. Jones (England) 6-4, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3.

G. P. Hughes and F. H. D. Wilde (England) beat Kopfert and Koch (Germany) 6-0, 6-4, 6-2.

Eric Filby and Ronald Shayes (England) beat Etchart and Russell (Argentina) 6-4, 4-6, 8-6, 8-6.

Dallos and Szegetti (Hungary) beat Butler and Billington (England) 6-4, 3-6, 8-6, 6-3.

Jean Borotra and Jacques Brugnon (France) beat Cooper and Peters (England) 10-8, 6-1, 6-3.

Results are cabled by *Reuter* and *United Press*.

Mrs. A. M. Holm of Troon, seen holding the Cup after she had defeated Miss Corlett 4 and 3 in the final of British Women's Golf Championship at the Burnham and Berrow Golf Club, in Burnham, Somerset.

PHILLIPS KNOCKS OUT BEN FOORD

British Heavyweight Elimination Fight

London, June 21.

At Harringay to-night, the British heavyweight championship eliminator fight over 15 rounds between Eddie Phillips of Great Britain and Ben Foord, of South Africa, resulted in the former knocking out the latter in the ninth round.

The ending was an unexpected one. A right-hander to the solar plexus paralysed Foord from the waist downwards. Foord, however, was in complete possession of his faculties and vainly attempted to rise.

Later, Foord claimed that he had been hit on the groin.

A left and then a right floored Phillips in the first round, but the latter got up immediately. Foord continued on the offensive in the second round.

Phillips began to attack in the third, but a body-punch doubled him up. The referee spoke to Foord.

Phillips easily evaded Foord's swinging rights and dazed Foord with rights. He also used his left effectively.

In the ninth round, Foord again tried a "haymaker" right and as he passed Phillips' shoulder, the Londoner crashed home a right, which proved to be a knock-out blow. —*Reuter.*

JOE LOUIS DEFENDS HIS BOXING CROWN AGAINST SCHMELING TO-NIGHT

Champion Out For Revenge; German To Fight For His Fatherland

By Frank Breese

United Press Staff Correspondent

New York, June 21.

Max Schmeling of Germany, former heavyweight champion of the world, will attempt to regain his title to-morrow in a 15-round bout at the Yankee Stadium, New York, against Joe Louis, present holder of the heavyweight crown.

The fight has aroused greater interest among boxing fans of the world than any contest since the night, almost two years ago, when the German knocked out his Negro opponent in a spectacular battle in which Louis was the heavy favourite. Between 80,000 and 100,000 spectators are expected to witness to-morrow's bout.

When Schmeling climbs through the ropes, it will be more than a test of the ring skill of the two outstanding disputants for the championship. It will be a further test of the old axiom in boxing circles that heavyweight champions never come back. Since the inception of standardized boxing, no former heavyweight champion has ever regained the title.

Schmeling refuses to be influenced by that axiom, which has proved a mental handicap to others who have attempted to prove its fallacy. So determined is Schmeling to recover his lost title that some boxing experts believe this axiom may serve as a stimulus in his efforts. Schmeling views his chances from a practical standpoint, however. When critics point to the case of Jack Dempsey, who was regarded one of the best of all-time heavyweights and who was unsuccessful when he tried to regain his title from Gene Tunney, Schmeling answers that Dempsey was on the decline when he lost whereas he, Schmeling, is just at his peak.

Joe Louis
...he has a defeat to avenge.

SCHMELING'S LUCK

Jack Sharkey and Schmeling met in 1930 to fight for the title relinquished by Tunney when he retired. Schmeling won on a foul, but his reign was short-lived, for Sharkey captured the title from the German in 1932. When the majority of ring-goers had believed Schmeling's career was near its close, Schmeling came to the United States to take a pot-shot at Louis, who was then regarded the leading heavyweight but who had not yet been in a title match.

Louis was hailed as an invincible warrior, and fans were wagering as high as 20 to 1 that Schmeling would not stand up more than half a dozen rounds. The Teuton's spectacular knockout of Louis in the twelfth round not only stunned the pugilistic world but immediately gained Schmeling greater prestige than he had ever before enjoyed, even during his tenure as champion. His claim to the title on the Sharkey foul had been duly recognized, but his ability as a top-notch fighter was questioned.

Schmeling was eager to fight Champion James Braddock immediately after he had vanquished Louis, but he was never granted that opportunity. So, the title passed to Louis when the Negro knocked out Braddock a year later, in 1937. If Schmeling had fought Louis at that time, he would have been a heavy favourite to win back his title, for ring fans felt that Schmeling had demonstrated his superiority over Louis. Schmeling was as unsuccessful in getting an engagement with Louis as he was with Braddock, and a date for the Schmeling-Louis fight was not selected until last fall.

Since Louis' catastrophic defeat two years ago, there has been much activity in heavyweight circles, and Louis himself has accounted for much of that activity. He has scored eleven decisive victories, including knockouts over such opponents as Jack Sharkey, Jorge Brescia, Al Ettore, Nathan Mann and Harry Thomas, in addition to Braddock, from whom he took the title.

LOUIS FAVOURED

Meanwhile, Schmeling has had only three fights, all of which have been in the past six months. The records since 1936 have re-established Louis in the eyes of fight fans. Although, Schmeling still holds the respect of spectators, they are inclined to question a man's ability to keep his form when he has been comparatively inactive, competitively.

To-day both men are in trim shape for to-morrow's encounter after rigorous conditioning programmes in their training camps. Louis claims that he has devised a defensive system that will protect him from the assault-and-battery right hand that Schmeling used in flooring him. Further, he maintains that he has overcome the handicap of inexperience and that Schmeling "won't be fighting no amateur this time." Finally, he insists that he is in excellent physical condition.

Although Schmeling may not have the distinct advantage in experience that he had two years ago, he will have a slight edge, for his ring career extends back to a time long before Louis entered the amateur ranks. Although Max is nine years older than Louis, being 33 while Louis just turned 24 on May 13, Schmeling insists that he has never been in better shape in all his life, and he prides himself in his clean living and sincere training.

Even the personnel in to-morrow's encounter, because of its very incongruity, is sufficient to arouse interest

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Max Schmeling
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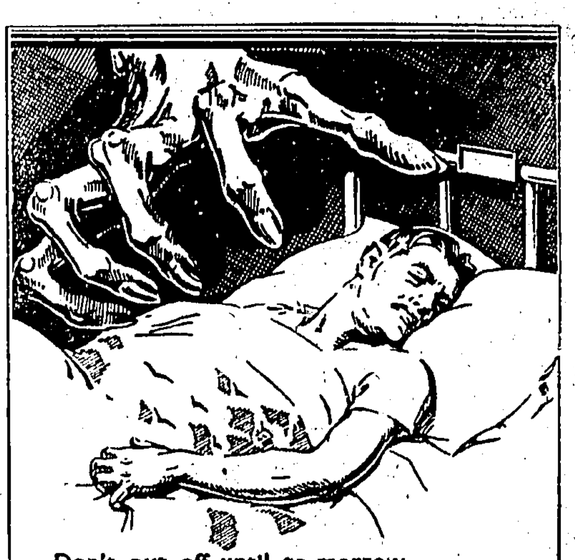

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As I See Sport — By "Abe"

NO EX-CHAMPION HAS REGAINED HIS CROWN

Max Schmeling Out To Set A Precedent

IF Max Schmeling can beat Joe Louis in their heavyweight title bout at Madison Square Garden to-night, he will have accomplished a remarkable feat; for legend has it that once he has been deposed from his throne, no heavyweight boxer has yet been able to find his way back. And Schmeling, of course, is a former champion; he won the title on a foul from Jack Sharkey in 1930. But the German boxer is a most unusual man. At 33, when most boxers give up all ideas of fighting, he is still right on top of the ladder trying to regain his crown. Still, Dempsey was unusual to the point of being unique and even he was unable to come back against Tunney in Chicago. Romanticists believe that a curse hovers over all former heavyweight champions. One may laugh, one may sneer at such superstition, but never since boxing was systemised has an ex-champion in the heavyweight class been able to fight his way back to the crown once he has relinquished it. Fate and destiny have hardly been with Schmeling in his long fight back to pre-eminence; but to-night he will have his big chance. Will he succeed? If it is true that a curse hangs over all ex-champions, he will probably lose. That has been the way of it with ex-champions of the past. Braddock recently tried a brief come-back, but got no further than his victory over Tommy Farr. And before that, there was Willard who got all the way up to Firpo when he suddenly lost further interest, and Corbett with Jeffries, Fitzsimmons with Jeffries and even Jeffries with Jack Johnson. Of the long list, in fact, only three former title-holders, including Gene Tunney and Sullivan, had the great good sense to withdraw from circulation and stay there. The other was Johnson and he just could not help himself. He was in gaol.

Ten Per Cent. Goes To Refugees

New York, June 21.

Ten per cent. of the net proceeds of the Louis-Schmeling fight here to-morrow night will be donated to international fund for the aid of political refugees Mike Jacobs, promoter of the title bout, said he would guarantee at least $7,500.

Jacobs' move aroused more than ordinary interest due to the fact that there is a boycott campaign, led by Jewish interests, against the fight on the grounds of Schmeling's German citizenship. Any donation to the international fund would be of benefit to Jews in Germany and Austria. —*United Press*

Honour For Kho

KHO SIN-KIE, China's foremost tennis star, continues to make history. Recently he beat "Bunny" Austin to win the Bournemouth hardcourt championship, being the first Chinese to win the title. Now at Wimbledon he has earned further honours by being "seeded" by the Wimbledon authorities. He is believed to be the first Chinese to have achieved this distinction. On Monday in the first round of the men's singles he defeated H. A. Hare—not Charles Hare as reported elsewhere—in straight sets. The eight "seeded" competitors are Donald Budge (holder), "Bunny" Austin (Great Britain), Roderick Menzel (Czechoslovakia), Henner Henkel (Germany), F. Puncec (Yugoslavia), D. Mitic (Yugoslavia), Ladislaus Hecht (Czechoslovakia), and Kho Sin-kie (China).

The seeded women players are Mrs. Helen Wills Moody (America), Miss Alice Marble (America), Mrs. Sarah Palfrey Fabyan (America), Mlle. Jedzrejowska (Poland), Mrs. Svend Sperling (Denmark), Miss Kay Stammers (Great Britain), Miss Margaret Scriven (Great Britain) and Madame Mathieu (France).

WALLY HAMMOND SCORES CENTURY IN EACH INNINGS

London, June 21.

Several brilliant individual performances were recorded in the County Cricket Championship programme which concluded to-day. Walter Hammond, the England Test captain, was in magnificent form while batting for Gloucestershire against Derbyshire, scoring a century in each innings. He has thus equalled the record set up by Jack Hobbs of doing so six times.

In spite of Hammond's effort, Gloucester lost points on first innings.

Bill Voce gave a glimpse of his old form while bowling for Nottinghamshire against Kent. In Kent's second innings, he took five wickets for 62 runs, including four wickets with five balls.

Don Bradman, the Australian Test captain, hit up a century against Lancashire in 73 minutes. This is the fastest century of the present season, beating that of C. W. Packe, the Cambridge batsman, by two minutes.

LANCASHIRE v. AUSTRALIANS

At Manchester, the match between Lancashire and the Australians was drawn.

Australians.—803 (A. L. Hassett 118, Phillipson five for 93), and 284 for 2 declared (J. H. Fingleton 96, W. A. Brown 70, Don Bradman 101 not out); Lancashire 289 and 80 for 3.

Bradman hit 15 boundaries in his innings.

SUSSEX v. WORCESTER

At Worthing, Sussex defeated Worcester by six wickets.

Worcester.—168 (Hammond 5 for 52) and 375 (Gibbons 118, Wood 6 for 99); Sussex 336 (C. Oakes 148 not out, Perks 6 for 114) and 208 for 4.

ESSEX v. MIDDLESEX

At Chelmsford, Middlesex defeated Essex by one wicket.

Essex.—300 (D. R. Wilcox 91, Jim Smith 5 for 84) and 221 (Peter Smith 101); Middlesex 281 (Nichols 6 for 116) and 241 for nine (Compton 87 not out, Edrich 58, Peter Smith 8 for 99).

GLAMORGAN v. CAMBRIDGE

At Swansea, the match between Glamorgan and Cambridge University was drawn.

Glamorgan.—388 (Dyson 117) and 334 for 8 declared (E. Jones 132); Cambridge 338 (J. D. A. Langley 119) and 288 for 4 (P. A. Gibb 133).

M.C.C. v. OXFORD

At Lord's, Oxford University defeated the M.C.C. by nine wickets.

M.C.C.—387 and 199 for 9 declared; Oxford 307 (J. M. Lomas 97) and 280 for one (Walford 201 not out and Lomas 50).

NOTTS v. KENT

At Nottingham Notts defeated Kent by seven wickets.

Kent.—314 and 214 (Voce 5 for 62, including four wickets with five balls); Notts 352 (Harris 113) and 180 for 3.

DERBY v. GLOUCESTER

At Burton-on-Trent, Derbyshire took points on first innings from Gloucestershire.

Gloucestershire.—287 (W. R. Hammond 110, Copson 5 for 75) and 294 (Hammond 123, thus equalling Jack Hobbs' record of scoring a century in each innings six times); Derbyshire, 415 (Smith 113, Sinfield 5 for 113) and 2 for 0.

LEICESTER v. HAMPSHIRE

At Leicester, Leicestershire took points on first innings from Hampshire.

Hampshire.—342 (Holt 116) and 231 for 2; Leicester 535 for eight (Geary 100 not out, Armstrong 123). —*Reuter.*

ALL READY FOR BIG FIGHT

Schemling And Louis Both Confident

New York, June 21.

The 15-round heavyweight title fight between Joe Louis (holder) and Max Schmeling (challenger) will take place at the open-air Yankee Stadium to-morrow evening.

Both men are confident of winning. Schmeling has a new punch, a sharp right uppercut to the heart, but Louis thinks the fight will not last more than a few rounds.

Jack Doyle, leading American bookmaker, stated that the biggest betting in fight history is being made on this bout.

Louis is at present 17-10 favourite to win.

Latest ticket sales now value £140,000. £10 ring-side seats have been exhausted, as will be the 10,000 unreserved seats priced at 17s. 6d. available before the fight.

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

MIDNIGHT is only a man-made definition, used in our time schedule. But at the earth's poles, local ideas of time do not apply. There can be no midnight there as we know it in the temperate and tropic regions.

NEXT: Why is a curve-ball baseball pitcher less effective in Denver?

STORIES IN STAMPS

Heads "Presidential" Stamp Series

LONG awaited in philatelic circles, the new U. S. "Presidential Series" of postage makes its bow with the striking 1-cent George Washington stamp reproduced here slightly more than one and one-half times actual size.

Printed in green ink, in sheets of 100 by rotary process, the stamp is 0.75 by 0.87 inches, with a flat background and without border. It was designed by Miss Elaine Rawlinson of New York City, winner of a nationwide contest conducted several months ago by the Treasury Department. Very likely the same motif will be employed throughout the entire issue of 32 stamps in this new series.

First stamp of the series numerically will be the Franklin ½ cent. Martha Washington will appear on the 1½ cent, and the White House will be shown on a 4½-cent adhesive. With these exceptions the series, to take the place of the 1922 regular values, will portray all deceased Presidents, many of whom never before were honored on U. S. postage. The Washington stamp is the first issued.

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On WPA, Wants Congress Seat

Running for a seat in Congress is Lawrence Smith of St. Louis, above, who works for WPA and supports a wife and two children on $50 a month. Seeking the post now occupied by Thomas C. Hennings, Jr., a Democrat, Smith says there would be some changes made in WPA if he were elected. He's counting on votes from 26,000 fellow WPA workers in St. Louis.

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WHAT HAS HAPPENED BEFORE

Young Bill Jordan accidentally kills a man in a night club brawl on his twenty-first birthday. District Attorney Mathews, who sympathizes with the boy, allows him to plead guilty to manslaughter instead of trying him for murder. Bill is sentenced to ten years in the state penitentiary . . . Six years later Bill, who has been assigned to the prison jute mill, is a hardened, embittered prisoner. Mathews, who is being groomed to run for Governor of the state, is appointed warden of the prison. On the day he arrives with his sister and beautiful daughter, Elizabeth, to take over his new job the prisoners greet him with a rebellious demonstration of yammering. Alone and unafraid, Mathews walks into the prison yard and faces the men down. Later, Bill collapses at the jute mill. The prison doctor recommends a change of work and environment for him. Warden Mathews summons him to the office and recognizes Bill as the boy he sent up six years before. While he's in the office Bill sees Mathews' daughter, Elizabeth, and falls in love with her immediately. Mathews makes Bill his chauffeur. Three months on this job works a miracle on Bill. He has regained his spirit and his hopes for the future and he is deeply in love with Elizabeth. Mathews is quietly working to get a pardon for Bill when there is a prison break. One of the convicts squeals and another man is killed. Mathews transfers the terrified squealer to his office for safety and he sends Elizabeth away until things grow quieter at the prison. Bill drives her to the station and, saying goodbye to her, all but blurts out his love.

"You've gotta do something. You've gotta save me!"

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

Chapter Four

When Bill returned to the prison from the railroad station he reported to Warden Mathews. Mathews and Captain Grady were standing at the window, watching the prisoners in the yard.

"There's trouble brewing down there, sir," Grady said. "Those men are altogether too quiet. No talking, no laughing."

"Well, if you're worried, call out the night detail and post extra guards at the gate leading up here. If they're after Runch they'll head this way."

The quiet in the yard was shattered when the prisoners began their "yammering." En masse they began to move menacingly toward the administration building. Grady ran for the door and down the stairs, Mathews went over to the window and Bill joined him there. Another door flew open and Runch came in. His face was ashen and he was trembling so he could barely walk.

"They're coming after me!" he cried hysterically. "Do something! Save me! Get me out of here!"

Mathews turned from the window. "Shut up!" he commanded. "Nothing can happen to you here. There are eight feet of stone and steel between you and the outside." One of the prison guards rushed into the office. "Captain Grady wants you at the gate at once, sir," he said.

Mathews started for the door. "Bill," he said, "you stay here with Runch. Don't leave this room."

When he had gone Runch came over to Bill at the window. "What is it?" he asked. "Why are they yammering like that?"

Bill shrugged. "I dunno," he said. "Probably a fight."

"Please, Bill," Runch pleaded, "go find out what it's all about."

"I can't," Bill said. "The warden told me to stay here."

"Just go down to the door, Bill," Runch went on. "You might hear something. I gotta know! I can't stand it!"

Bill turned and looked scornfully at the craven snitcher. "Okay," he said. "Anything to shut up your sniveling." He left the office and went down the stairs. The guards at the door were having all they could do to hold back the mob. Captain Grady saw Bill and turned to him. "Get back upstairs!" he ordered.

Bill turned and went back upstairs. In the upper hallway he bumped into Hawkins, one of his cellmates, coming out of the warden's office. Hawkins stared at him in amazement.

"Get out of here, you fool!" he whispered. "Don't let them find you here. Beat it!"

"I can't, Jack," Bill replied. "The warden told me — "

"You snap!" Hawkins went on. "You would have to get into this." There was a sound below stairs and Hawkins turned and disappeared through a door into the warden's living quarters.

Bill was standing there when Mathews and Captain Grady came up the stairs. "I thought I told you to stay with Runch," Mathews said.

"I know, sir, but he asked me to — "

Mathews pushed past Bill and went into the office. Runch was sprawled by the window, stabbed to death.

Mathews turned to Bill. "You didn't do this, did you, Bill?"

"N — no, sir," Bill stammered. "I just told you — Runch asked me to — "

Solitary Confinement

"Never mind that now," Mathews snapped. "Who did it?"

"I don't know, sir," Bill said.

Mathews looked at Bill intently. "You're lying, son," he said calmly. "You're lying to shield the murderer."

Bill's eyes shifted from Mathews' face. "Maybe I am, sir," he said, "but I can't squeal — not even for you, sir."

"Bill," Mathews pleaded, "you can't do this. Look, your parole's due here any day now. Do you want to sacrifice that? Do you know what will happen if you don't talk? It'll mean ten to twenty years more for you."

"I didn't kill him," Bill insisted stubbornly.

"All your time for good behavior — that'll be taken away from you," Mathews said. "You'll have to go back to the jute mill — "

Bill's face paled but his jaw still set stubbornly. "I'm sorry, sir," he said. "I can't tell you anything."

Mathews looked at him sorrowfully and sighed. Captain Grady interrupted. "A week in solitary is what he needs," Grady said. "Then he'll talk."

"All right, Grady," the warden said. "I guess you'll have to do it."

The week after the murder was not as easy one for Warden Mathews. While Bill languished on bread and water in solitary confinement, Mathews strove vainly to find the Runch killer. To add to his troubles the prosecuting attorney of the county harassed him incessantly to turn Bill over to the county authorities. When Elizabeth returned from her trip she found a sorely tired father to greet her.

Briefly he told her what had happened. "Where is Bill?" she asked.

"In solitary," he said. "I put him there to shield him until I could break this case but I'm afraid it's useless."

Tears welled into Elizabeth's eyes. "Dad, you've got to help him," she pleaded.

Mathews exploded. "Help him!" he cried. "I haven't slept for a week! Why? Because I've tried to help him. But he won't let me. I'm washed up. I'm through! He'll have to take what's coming to him."

"You can't do that to Bill, Daddy," Elizabeth said softly.

In the midst of his tirade Mathews turned to look at her curiously. "What's the matter, honey?" he asked. "What are you driving at?"

Elizabeth was silent.

"Come on," Mathews urged. "Let's get down to cases, sweetheart. What's up?"

Elizabeth wiped the tears from her eyes and looked squarely at her father.

"I love him, Dad," she said simply.

(To be Continued.)

HOW IT BEGAN

By Paul F. Berdanier

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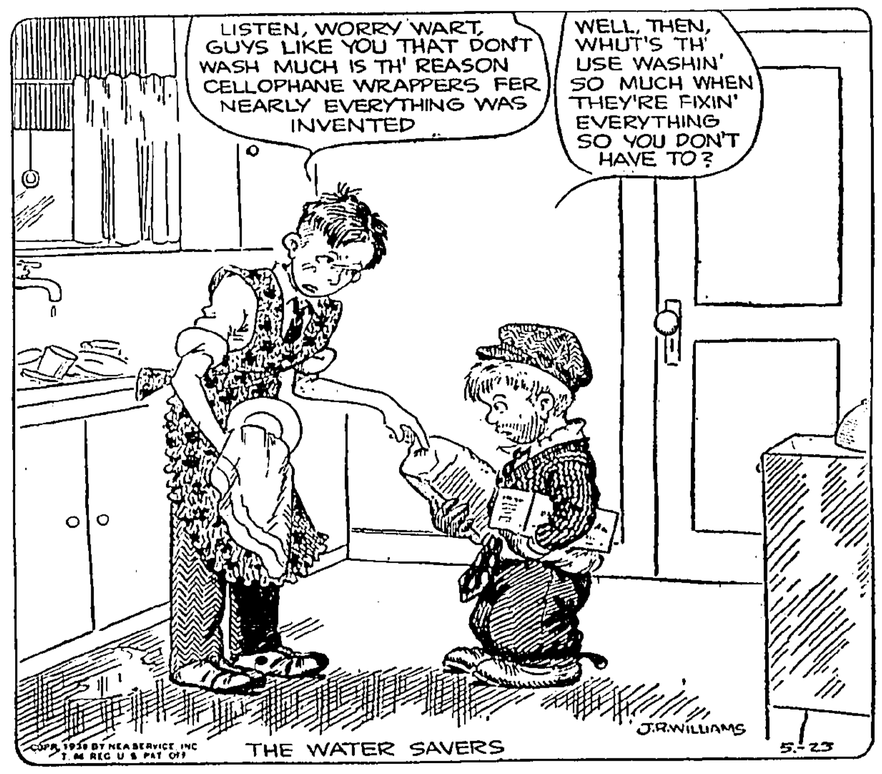

BARBS

THE King of Cambodia has just sent half of his 200 wives back to mother. Wants to try "bachling" it again.

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What's the use of science, anyway? An apple tree has just been made to grow roses, but the apples still have cores, and the roses, thorns.

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An officer of the Army's air force wants to name planes after Indians. But who's going to trust his life to a ship named "Sitting Bull"?

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A barber in St. Louis announces that combing the hair pompadour makes a man bald. So, you see, once your hair has gone away, it won't do any good to try to comb it back.

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"Soldier from Berlin, Girl from Vienna," is the title of a new German song-hit. What, no ". . . Minister from Czechoslovakia" yet?

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Urge Church To Prevent Bomb Raids

The Bolton (Eng.) *Evening News* published the following despatch recently, which has been forwarded:

British missionaries in China have appealed to Christians in this country to do all they can to stop the bombing of Chinese towns.

The Bolton Ruridecanal Chapter has responded to this appeal, and at a meeting this morning passed the following resolution:—"The Bolton Ruridecanal Chapter records its horror at the recent bombardments of Canton, tenders its sympathy to the suffering people of China, offers prayer for the Christian Church of China, and expresses the hope that His Grace, the Archbishop of Canterbury, will endeavour to influence His Majesty's Government to request Japan to refrain from the bombardment of the civilian population of China."

The Chapter represents all the Anglican clergy in the Deanery, and the resolution was a unanimous one. It will be forwarded to the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Prime Minister, the local M.P.s of Bolton, Westhoughton, and Farnworth, and the Chinese Embassy in London.

SHIPS EXPECTED IN RADIO TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong Radio to-day:

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WHAT IS A WIFE WORTH?

(Continued from Page 6.)

of life. You can insure against the loss of a limb, but I have never yet met any spiritual form of insurance against loss of love.

There is no compensation possible, except the primitive compensation of vengeance. And as a man nowadays does not stab his wife's lover through the heart I suppose it is possible to get a minor relief by stabbing him through the pocket.

But English law has little sympathy with the desire of vengeance. The late Lord Birkenhead, in 1925, wrote: "The object of giving damages in divorce cases is not, in the view of the law, punitive."

And Lord Merrivale, in 1932, warned a jury that it "has not to say: 'We will fix some exemplary figure that will be a warning.' That is not the jury's business at all." On the other hand, Lord Merrivale included in the catalogue of the petitioner's losses "the injury to his feelings and to his pride."

Time to Stop It?

ISN'T it time that feelings became a little more delicate, and pride a little prouder? Isn't it time that we stopped asking a jury to put an auctioneer's value on a human being and a prostitute's value on love?

Won't it one day be possible to drop the whole business of damages and work out the consequences of a marriage breach on strictly business lines, letting the expenses of the divorce include a sum that compensates either partner for actual money losses?

No one could object to that as unjust.

But let us leave questions of love, grief, loneliness, and heartbreak out of court. Spiritual wrongs cannot be awarded material damages. The attempt to do so belittles alike the dignity of justice and the marriage state.

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RANCHI	17,000	9th July.	B'bay, M'seilles & L'don.
†*SOMALI	6,000	16th July.	B'bay, M'seilles, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'bg, R'dam & A'werp.
RANPURA	17,000	23rd July	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
RAWALPINDI	17,000	6th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
†*BANGALORE	6,000	13th Aug.	B'bay, M'seilles, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'burg, R'dam & A'werp.
NALDERA	17,000	20th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
CORFU	14,500	3rd Sept.	Marseilles & London.
†*BHUTAN	6,000	10th Sept.	B'bay, M'seilles, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'bg, R'dam & A'werp.

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RANPURA	17,000	7th July.	Shanghai & Japan.
TALMA	10,000	7th July	Japan.
RAWALPINDI	17,000	21st July.	Shanghai & Japan.
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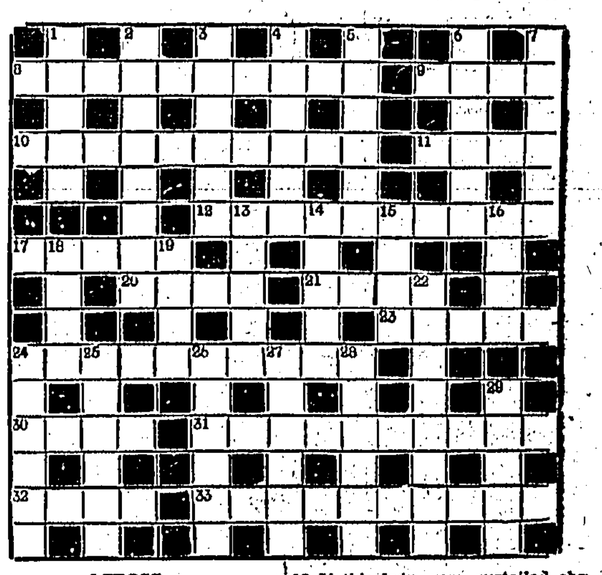


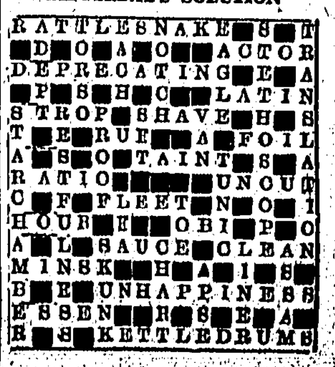
ACROSS

8 It leaves a bad taste in the mouth (two words—6, 4).
9 Wise man of the East (4).
10 The bay colour method gives a cloister (two words—7, 3).
11 This nosey parker is a source of irritation (4).
12 Saying quite clever—much beyond the ordinary, in fact (10).
17 One cannot accept this advice without a change of face (5).
20 He is made by many more than the ordinary listener (4).
21 Sound reason, nowadays, for pulling up on the road (4).
23 Possession of this must have given an early Baron a distinct pull (5).
24 A depressing companion when camping in inclement weather (two words—3, 7).
30 There was only one famous M.P. in this famous Parliament (4).
31 Disappointing reply to a customer, from a flower apparently (three words—3, 2, 5).
32 Should the up-keep of this be included in overhead expenses? (4).
33 Miners live to make this source of wealth (two words—6, 4).

DOWN

1 Is this animal one of male twins? (5).
2 Do cattle travel thus on the sea? (8).
3 One cannot be in this and up to date as well (6).
4 Shelter for the brave (6).
5 No gentleman at the wicket! (6).
6 Fraternise (6).
7 Whereon proceeding is furtive (6).
13 If this lady were curtailed she would become French (5).
14 Fish (6).
15 This philosopher could make a machine of war (4).
16 This is mixed in 33 across (4).
18 Fit end to 12 across (4).
19 Sounds like part of a house, but there may be a catch in it (4).
22 The thing to have on holiday, and in which is early (two words—4, 4).
24 Vocal defiance (6).
25 She should really have been her second half (6).
26 Stir from our sea (6).
27 It only sings when it's warm (6).
28 Put off in golfing term—it's sweet (6).
29 This kind of food would alter its shape if beheaded (5).

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION



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London, June 22.

Great Britain is pouring money into re-armament and defence at the rate of twenty-five shillings per second.

Every minute of every day of the year, something like £70 is spent.

This revelation was made by Mr. Leslie Hore-Belisha, the Minister for War, when he was addressing a meeting of Government supporters to-day.

Mr. Hore-Belisha said that the country was spending approximately £1,000,000 daily on armaments.

Despite this vast expenditure, Great Britain has still been able to find an extra £50,000,000 this year for social welfare work.—*Trans-Ocean.*

Kowloon Docks Scene Of Great Industry

Kowloon docks to-day had their busiest period for many Wednesdays when at 11.30 a.m. the following ships were either berthed, or lying near in: Santhia, Boissevain, Empress of Canada, Athos II, Naldera and two cargo ships.

There was more than 60,000 tons of shipping at the docks when the Naldera, from England, came up to dock.

Her berthing was delayed for several minutes while the Boissevain and the Athos II were leaving their wharves. Even so, the P. and O. ship arrived half-an-hour before her announced time.

France Won't Be Happy If Hainan Struck

Paris, June 21.

The French Government intends to stand firm on the question of Hainan Island, according to well informed quarters.

Japanese occupation of the Island, which faces French colonial interests in Indo-China, would be considered harmful to French interests guaranteed by the Franco-Japanese Treaty of 1907.

When the Japanese Ambassador saw M. Georges Bonnet, the French Foreign Minister, yesterday, he declared that General Ugaki's recent statement regarding foreign Powers supporting China did not specially refer to France.—*Reuter.*

STOP PRESS NEWS

(Continued from Page 1.)

and of these fifty-six, forty-eight are out on bail.

"In the Large Court and Juvenile Court at any rate few if any of these attempt to answer the charge. When a hawker goes on bail he takes away his stock in trade with him and there is no power of confiscation. Of the 56 hawkers only eight are in the dock. The remaining 48 are presumably busily pursuing their avocation of hawking while the Court estreats their bail.

"I consider this is a mockery of the process of the court. In this Magistracy alone there has been, up to date, between 8,000 and 9,000 hawking cases this year and even if the daily average was doubled I do not think there is any advantage to be gained.

CHOLERA PROBLEM

"In the cholera cases referred to by the chairman of the Urban Council I imposed the comparatively large fines of $2 and $3 during the first days of the regulations with a threat of increasing fines still further if necessary. This I found adequate and during the first day or two there had been absolutely no breach of the emergency regulations before me in court.

"In any case, the number was limited and I cannot deal with unlicensed hawkers generally in the same way unless I were going to fill Stanley Gaol several times over.

POOR HAWKERS

"The second aspect of the problem is that I conceive the grant of licences to the ill and infirm who had roots in the Colony, in the nature of poor relief.

"At the present moment there are more than $3,000 in the Poor Box and I understand from the police that after April 1, six months after the present licensing year began, no renewals were allowed and few, if any, new licences issued.

"That the picture of the widow with the borrowed children induced a sentimental magistrate to recommend her on the spot for a licence, was not in accordance with the facts, as I know of them in court.

"But only deserving cases after investigation by the police were recommended. In view of what I understand to be the policy of the Urban Council I have made very few recommendations myself. The only recent recommendations I have made was the other day in the case of a coolie who, while engaged in his work, was injured in the leg in a traffic accident, through no fault of his own. He was certified by a Government doctor to be incapable of resuming his work, or do any form of hard work, and I recommended him as a deserving case for a licence.

"The chairman of the Urban Council had replied that any excuse was good enough for an application for a hawker's licence, and he stated that it was cases like this that cluttered up the streets of the Colony and recommended that he return to the country. I understand the applicant in this case was Hongkong-born."

NEWSPAPER OFFICES SEARCHED

Acting on a warrant issued this morning, police conducted a search in the offices of the *Sunday Herald* shortly after 2.30 p.m. to-day.

The *Telegraph* understands that the search warrant was issued in connection with an article published in the *Sunday Herald* on June 19 under the caption "Startling Revelations of Slave Markets in Colony: Girls for Sale."

The article, by a Special Correspondent of the *Sunday Herald*, alleged that the writer had attended a slave market held in a flat on the mainland at which four Chinese girls, two between 14 and 16 years of age, one 19 and the other 21 years of age were sold for sums ranging from $150. The writer continued that he had "learned afterwards that the three youngest girls were destined for houses of ill-fame near the former Central Market off Queen's Road Central, and that the eldest girl was bought to be a concubine for a local Chinese resident."

Interviewed by the *Telegraph* the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Commissioner of Police, refused to make any statement regarding the raid.

In reply to a question, the Commissioner admitted that correspondence had passed between the Police Department and the Editor of the *Sunday Herald* regarding the article.

The *Telegraph* understands that the Editor of the *Sunday Herald* was requested to divulge the name of the author of the article, and the Police raid this afternoon was for the purpose of obtaining documents, including the manuscript of the author, after the Editor had refused to divulge the information required by the police.

The police were still in the *Sunday Herald* building as this edition of the *Telegraph* went to press.

ANOTHER CHOLERA VICTIM

Another cholera victim, this time from Shaukiwan, was reported by the health authorities during the past 24 hours, bringing the total cases to date to 23.

There was a decrease in the notifications of other diseases, only one of diphtheria, one of meningitis, and four of dysentery, being reported.

CANE FOR YOUTH ON SNATCHING CHARGE

Much commotion was caused in Shek Kip Mei Village, near Lai Chi Kok Road, yesterday morning, when a 17-year-old youth named Cheung Kam, snatched an earring from a 46-year-old woman. He attempted to run away but was intercepted and arrested.

This morning Cheung was charged with the theft before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy and was sentenced to three months' hard labour and eight strokes of the cane.

50-CENT EARRINGS EARN CANE

Six months' hard labour and twelve strokes of the cane were imposed on Lo Chu, a 17-year-old boy, when he appeared before Mr. H. R. Butters at the Central Magistracy this morning, charged with snatching a pair of earrings from a 73 year old widow.

The theft occurred at Queen's Road East near the Naval Dockyard, the police stated, the earrings were only valued at 50 cents, and the defendant must have mistaken them for gold ones.

BIG CAPITAL TAX LEVIED

Budapest, June 22.

A capital tax ranging from five to 20 per cent. will be levied on all private fortunes or assets exceeding 50,000 penges as the result of a new decree published yesterday.

The scheme provides for a minimum tax of five per cent. on fortunes of 50,000 penges, increasing proportionately to 20 per cent. on fortunes exceeding five million penges. Payment must be made in 20 to 25 annual instalments.

Assessment of property value on February 28 will be used as the basis for the new taxation. Severe penalties are provided for attempted evasion of the tax, these including, in addition to imprisonment, fines ranging up to 800 per cent of the value of the tax.—*Trans-Ocean.*

LAUNCH SINKS AFTER CRASH

No casualties occurred in the steam launch Wong Sang when she sank near the west wall of the Royal Naval Camber while proceeding on her way to Yaumati.

In his report to the police, the coxswain, Lee Sum, 26, stated that at 4.30 p.m. yesterday, when going alongside the Helenus at the No. 3 wharf at the Kowloon Godown to take cargo boat No. 87 in tow, he collided with the rudder of the ship causing damage to his launch. The launch sank while on the way to Yaumati for repairs.

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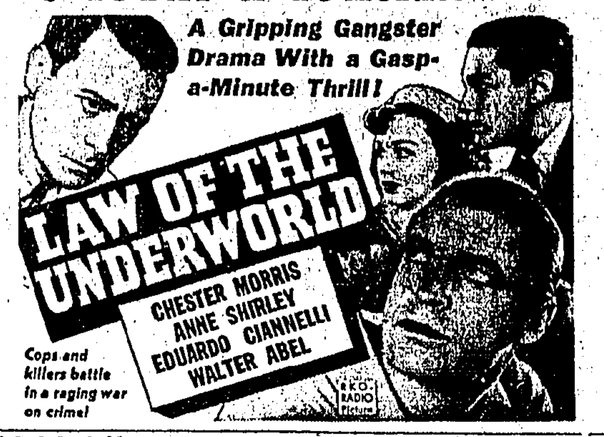

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TOKYO PRESS CLAIMS RUSSIA REVIEWING HER POLICY IN CHINA

Tokyo, June 21.

The *Miyako Shimbun*, commenting on the fact that M. Troyanousky, Soviet Ambassador to the United States, and M. Ivan Maisky, Soviet Ambassador to Britain, were both in Moscow at present, predicts that a conference between the two diplomats will "decide the future policy of the Soviet to China."

The question to be discussed will be whether to extend vigorous military assistance to China or suspend further assistance in view of the "Soviet's internal conditions and the series of military reverses suffered by China."

The paper alleges that the "Soviet foothold in the Far East, which is formed on a basis of a pro-Soviet world policy, is being steadily circumscribed by the successful drive of the Japanese forces."

The paper says that the Japanese capture of Hankow, which is imminent, will inevitably reduce Marshal Chiang Kai-shek's Government to the status of a mere local administration, the result being increasing pressure against Soviet influence in Outer Mongolia and Sinkiang.—*Reuter.*

CLIPPER HELD UP

Owing to mechanical trouble in one of the engines, the flight of the Philippine Clipper, which was to have left Manila at dawn to-day for Hongkong, has been postponed.

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